

# THE EVENING NEWS.

SECOND YEAR—NO. 550.

BENTON HARBOR, MICH., TUESDAY, JULY 18, 1897.

ONE CENT.

## A LARGE BANKRUPT STOCK OF Fishing Tackle OF ALL KINDS FOR SALE AT JACKSON'S TOY STORE

Water Street, Benton Harbor, Mich.

Remember that I keep all kinds of hunting, fishing and sporting goods and that I will not be undersold by any dealer in southwestern Michigan. Jointed fishing rods, Mississippi cane poles, Japanese bamboo, all lengths, brass and nickel reels, fish hooks, all kinds and all sizes, snell hooks, single and double, casting lines and leaders, bass and trout flies, trolling baits and sinkers, the best linen and silk lines, gaff hooks, trout baskets, fish stringers, fish spears, both new and second hand, gasoline lamps for spearing, bait boxes and minnow pails, floats, rod clips and rod mountings, trout lines and fixtures, seine twine, stinging and gilling twine, oars and oar locks, base ball bats, Spaulding base balls, professional and amateur, base ball mitts, catchers' masks, base ball bats and caps, croquet sets, extra croquet balls and mallets, boxing gloves, iron and maple dumb bells, foot balls, all kinds and sizes, punching bags, hammocks and hammock fixtures, folding camp chairs and cots, Winchester repeating rifles, all sizes, Quackenbush 22 caliber and other target guns. A second hand Parker shot gun at \$23.1 second hand Marlin rifle at \$7. Sling shots, billies and knuckles, dog chains, collars and muzzles, sling shot rubbers, primers, snipe, goose and duck calls, loaded and unloaded brass and paper shells, smokeless powder, buck and common shot, B. B. shot for air rifles, Tattlin & Rand's shot gun and rifle powder, shot gun shells loaded with smokeless powder, reloading tools for rifles and shot guns; bowie knives and knives for hunters, paper and felt wads, water proof, musket and G. D. caps, game bags and belts for hunters, powder flasks and shot pouches, all kinds of new and second hand revolvers, compasses for hunters. I have 22 new and 7 second hand shot guns on hand, shot gun fixtures, cartridge belts and shell bags, and remember that I keep on hand a large wagon load of all kinds of revolver and rifle cartridges, 44 different sizes of rim and center fire and blanks, B. B. caps for target rifles, all sizes of Iver Johnson revolvers at \$4, all sizes of American bull dogs at \$1.50, I Smith & Wesson latest pattern 44 size at \$6, a Colts 45 size at \$6, a Remington 44 size at \$6.

## A large grain sack full of unredeemed WATCHES of all kinds..

Seventy-five solid gold ring, 6 pieces diamond jewelry at one-half first cost, banjos, guitars, violins and mandolins at one-third first cost. Trading men, look over my watch stock. I can always stock you up with bargains. One Odell typewriter, never was used, for \$4. One latest improved Singer sewing machine for \$15. I have dealt in fishing, hunting and sporting goods for 20 years in Benton Harbor. I buy cheaper than any other dealer and I will not be undersold. Second hand goods bought and sold. Second hand books wanted. The highest market price in gold paid for second hand bicycles. Inspection invited.

CHAS. A. JACKSON  
Dealer in Almost Everything.

## THE WEATHER.

Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday. Slightly warmer Wednesday.

## FRIGHTENED BY A DOG.

Canine Prevents a Burglary at Sawyer.

The general store at Sawyer, owned by B. Hinchman, was entered by burglars Sunday night who were preparing to leave with their booty when a savage watch dog, placed on guard by Mr. Hinchman, put in appearance and frightened the thieves away. The burglars had a large bundle of groceries and dry goods ready to carry away. The watch dog heard the confusion and set up a startling howl. Mr. Hinchman was awakened by the earnest barking and seizing his revolver he rushed out of the house to the store, which he reached in time to see two men emerge and scurry away in the darkness. Sheriff Ferguson worked on the case all day yesterday, but thus far he has been unable to find a clew which appears promising. Two tramps were hanging around the village all day Sunday and it is supposed that the work was done by them.

## RACES AT COLOMA.

Another Meeting Advertised For July 24.

COLOMA, July 13.—Vegetation will not make any extraordinary strides towards maturity on the Maple Point race track this year. The sportsmen of the village are preparing for another turf event to occur on Saturday, July 24, at which \$110 in purses will be offered to the owners of the fleetest "nags" in the different races. Entries will close Friday evening, July 23.

Coloma School Meeting.

COLOMA, July 13.—The annual school meeting of district number one was held on Monday evening in the village high school room. The terms of Charles Arant and Fred Warman, as trustees, expired this year and they were re-elected for another term of three years. The sum of \$2,000 was voted to be raised by tax for the support of the schools during the coming year. This, with the sum remaining in the treasury, will, it is thought, provide ample revenue.

## A NEW GOSPEL SONG.

It Was Composed by Rev. Elisha A. Hoffman During the Revival Last Winter.

FIRST APPEARANCE IN PRINT.

The Words at That Time Were Suggested by the Evangelist's Sermon.

In nearly every book of gospel songs now published are hymns and music composed by Rev. Elisha A. Hoffman, pastor of the First Presbyterian church

of this city. The musical productions of Mr. Hoffman rank high and many of his hymns are set to inspired music.

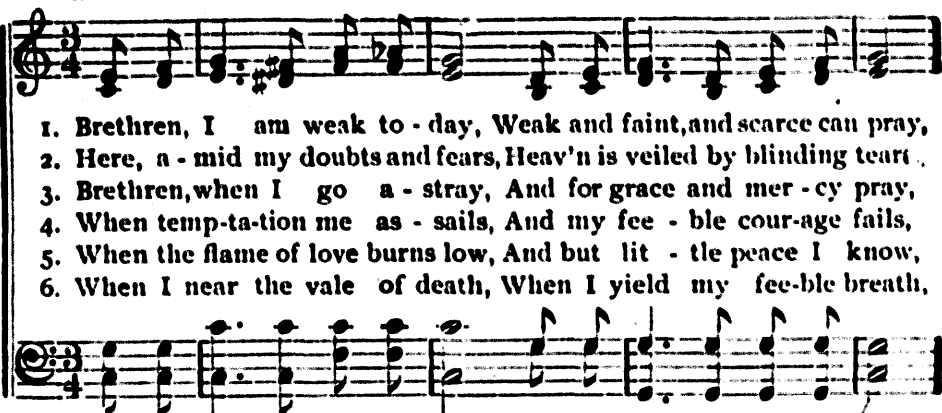
During the evangelistic services conducted by Rev. O. D. Thomas in this city last winter, Mr. Hoffman was observed to be writing very frequently during the preaching of the sermon. It has been disclosed since the meetings that he was making memoranda of hymns and tunes suggested by the words of the evangelist.

Through the kindness of Mr. Hoffman THE EVENING NEWS is today able to present to its readers one of these hymns in completed form. "Brethren, Intercede for Me," is bound to find a popular reception in all religious meetings and in all Christian hearts.

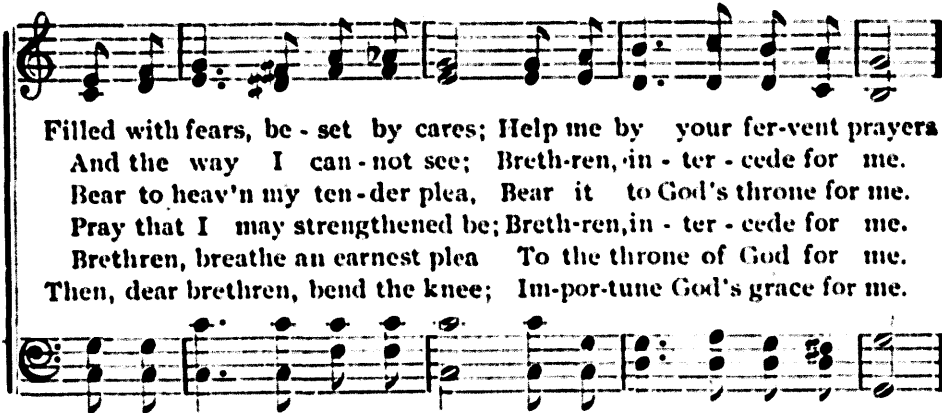
## Brethren, Intercede for Me.

E. A. H.

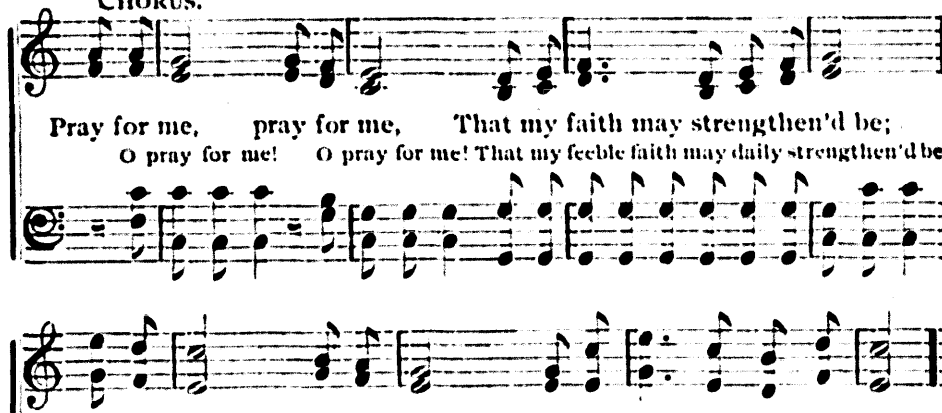
REV. ELISHA A. HOFFMAN.



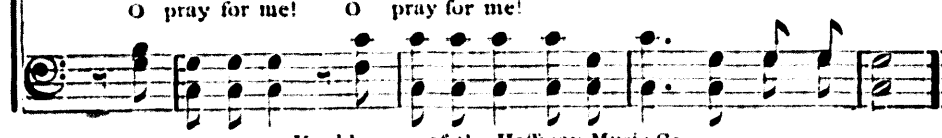
1. Brethren, I am weak to-day, Weak and faint, and scarce can pray,
2. Here, a mid my doubts and fears, Heav'n is veiled by blinding tears,
3. Brethren, when I go a-stray, And for grace and mer-cy pray,
4. When temp-ta-tion me as-sails, And my fee-ble cour-age fails,
5. When the flame of love burns low, And but lit-tle peace I know,
6. When I near the vale of death, When I yield my fee-ble breath,



Filled with fears, be-set by cares; Help me by your fer-vent prayers  
And the way I can-not see; Breth-ren, in-ter-cede for me.  
Bear to heav'n my ten-der plea, Bear it to God's throne for me.  
Pray that I may strengthened be; Breth-ren, in-ter-cede for me.  
Brethren, breathe an earnest plea To the throne of God for me.  
Then, dear brethren, bend the knee; Im-por-tune God's grace for me.



CHORUS.  
Pray for me, pray for me, That my faith may strengthen'd be;  
O pray for me! O pray for me! That my feeble faith may daily strengthen'd be;



Pray for me, pray for me, Brethren, in-ter-cede for me.  
O pray for me! O pray for me!

Used by per. of the Hoffman Music Co.

## ASKS \$6,500 DAMAGE.

Old Sidewalk Damage Claim of Mrs. Lydia Kitron About to Be Revived.

ORIGINAL CLAIM WAS \$150.

Now She Wants \$5,000 for Injuries and \$1,500 as a Pain Killer.

Some months ago on Pipestone street near the residence of Edward Brammell where a plank walk meets one built of cement Mrs. Lydia Kitron alleges that she stumbled and received injuries for life. She asked the city for \$150 but the claim was rejected.

The matter will come up before the next meeting of the council. Mrs. Kitron will now ask for \$1,500 to compensate for the pain and anguish she has suffered and in addition \$5,000 for permanent injuries which she alleges to have received.

Mrs. Kitron has engaged the services of Nelson DeLong to look after her interests.

## TO STEVENSVILLE.

The Twin City Telephone Line is Now Open.

Stevensville was put in telephonic communication with Benton Harbor yesterday by the Twin City Telephone company. The phones at this distance worked perfectly and the new line is a great success.

## IN THE CRIMINAL COURT.

Robert Buchanan paid a fine of \$1 and \$2.45 costs in Justice Cady's court this morning. He got drunk.

Charles Brown, charged with obstructing an officer in discharge of his duty, was arraigned yesterday afternoon. He pleaded guilty.

## WENT WITHOUT DINNER.

Prof. E. A. Wilson Not a Very Good Sailor.

Dated St. Ignace July 12, Prof. Wilson who is with the state board of education, writes to THE NEWS:

"Arrived here this morning. Am wearing an overcoat and straw hat, but contrast is the style you know. I go north from here this morning. It was a little rough on the boat yesterday, at least I did not go to dinner anyway. All right today."

## BIG CANNING BUSINESS.

C. H. Godfrey & Co. Have Put up 800 Cases of Berries.

C. H. Godfrey & Co. have canned 800 cases of strawberries and gooseberries which make 8,700 two-pound cans of berries.

Mr. Godfrey is encouraged over the demand for canned fruit. He has orders for the goods already put up and he has orders for eight tons of dried fruit and several hundred cans of raspberries. Mr. Godfrey will be in the market for 6,000 cases of raspberries.

## HOW THE FINE WAS PAID.

A Student of the College Benefitted By Friends.

An impressive illustration of the close friendship of the students at the Benton Harbor college occurred recently in Justice Cady's court when one of the students was fined for riding a bicycle at night without a lamp. A few of the students implored of the justice that he dismiss the case, as the offender was a poor boy who was working his way through school and could not afford to pay the fine and costs of the case.

The justice was not disposed to establish a precedent from which he must ever after suffer annoyance, but his sympathy was moved and he offered to assist with a liberal contribution to a fund raised by the students to pay the penalty of the unfortunate offender. This was satisfactory and each friend of the student and the court produced the required donation and the fine was paid. The gratitude expressed by the offending student compensated for the sacrifice.

Life is but a song  
Sing it as you will  
Sing it high or sing it low,  
'Tis but a song still.

## I OFFER THIS WEEK

200 pairs Tapestry Curtains,  
worth \$5.00, reduced to \$3.69  
Special Sale on Hammocks.

...BABY CARRIAGES MUST GO AT REDUCED PRICES...

Sewing Machines \$15.00, warranted 10 years.

...TERMS CASH...

C. C. SWEET

131-133-135-137-139 Pipestone St.

## E. W. MOORE & CO.

Are the Bargain Leaders All the Time.

Our Special Sales every day are public money savers. We have goods and prices to prove it.

## WEDNESDAY, JULY 14

One lot ladies' Jersey vests, white cream, no sleeves, lisle finish, best 25c and 35c goods, to close at 19c each.  
One lot ladies' Jersey vests, short sleeves or no sleeves, white or cream, lisle thread, best 30c goods, to close at 31c.  
One lot black serge top umbrellas, fancy whole sticks, silver tipped, going at 65c.  
One lot silk ribbons, Nos. 5, 7 and 9 at 5c a yd.  
One lot silk ribbons, Nos. 12, 16, 22 and 40 at 13c a yd.

## ...GROCERY BARGAINS...

Spring Wheat Flour, \$4.00 per bbl.

Fine Shredded Coconut, 18c lb.	Javanese coffee at 15c pkg.
Fine ground black pepper, 14c lb.	10 bars Calumet soap for 25c.
Colo. Rio Coffee, 2 lbs. for 25c.	Bulk Starch, 3c a lb.
5 lbs. Good Rice for 25c.	Pound can choice Baking Powder, 8c.
Micado Tea Tips, 19c a lb.	XXXX coffee at 15c.
Crushed Java Coffee at 10c lb.	Armour's family lard, 5c a lb.
Armour's family bacon, 8c lb.	

XXXX coffee at 15c.

Best prices paid for butter and eggs.

Ladies' or Gents' Bicycles at \$29. Guaranteed for 1 year.

## The Benton Harbor Meat and Provision House..

Is located at the corner of Pipestone and Pleasant streets where you can buy the finest assortment of

Meats, Poultry, Spring Lamb,  
Spring Chicken, Fresh Fish, etc

If you are troubled with tough or stale meats give us a trial. Our facilities for keeping meats this hot weather are the very best. Our reduced prices on Saturdays makes our market a busy place.

Yours to please,

J. J. MILLER...

Corner Pipestone and Pleasant Streets.

## "The Garden of Eden"

They tell us, was the ideal spot of all the earth at one time, and yet two resorters were all it ever had. Shall we not conclude then that this locality, visited as it is by increasing thousands every year, must have advantages greater than any other recorded on the pages of history?

If this is true, show your appreciation and gratitude by making your company comfortable with

GOOD MATTRESSES,  
SPRINGS, COTS,  
BEDS, COUCHES,  
HAMMOCKS,  
LAWN SETTEES,  
PORCH ROCKERS,  
AND CAMP CHAIRS

And we will show ours by giving you the best goods for the money of any of the contemporary furnishing men of our time.

C. J. PECK







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## A 10 DAYS COURTSHIP

It Results In the Romantic Marriage of W. H. Dix and Miss Maud Haynes.

### GROOM IS WELL KNOWN HERE

He is the Son of the Auditor General—It Was a Case of Love at First Sight.

MASON, July 13:—W. H. Dix, son of Auditor-General Dix, and Miss Maud Haynes, of Dundee, were quietly married in this city. They drove from Lansing in the sweltering heat, and all whom they met they asked to keep the wedding quiet.

County Clerk Gunn said the couple were dressed in everyday summer apparel and that the groom needed a shave. He promised not to publish the license, and directed the couple to go to the house of a Baptist minister, who performed the ceremony.

At the Hotel Donnelly they registered as "W. H. Dix and Miss Maud Haynes." After the sun went down they hid themselves back to Lansing.

LANSING, July 13—Auditor-General Dix has just learned of the wedding and he says he has no objection to the match, but would have liked an opportunity to attend the wedding.

Both of the young people are highly respected. Dix is about 25, the bride about 20. Mrs. Dix came here recently to visit relatives. She had known Dix but 10 days. She is a daughter of Dr. J. B. Haynes, a prominent Dundee physician.

No reason other than love of romance is given for the quiet wedding.

The groom is known here and at St. Joseph by all the young society people. Before his father got the office of auditor general and was occupied in the abstract office of Dix & Wilkinson, young Dix spent considerable of his time in St. Joseph. He is a clever young man and had the hearts of a dozen maidens fluttering at the same time.

### PLANS OF THE PATTERSONS.

Their Railroad Thoughts Unfolded to Paw Paw.

A Paw Paw dispatch says: G. E. Drew of St. Joseph, and F. B. Murdock of Berrien Springs have been in the village since Monday, and have completed a survey of the new line which will bring the S. H. & E. railroad line into the village. On Wednesday evening an impromptu meeting was held at the council rooms, but on account of the very limited notice not a large audience was present.

A letter signed by D. H. Patterson of Benton Harbor was read. Patterson and his associates want a right of way and \$10,000 in five per cent bonds issued by the township of Paw Paw.

Mr. Patterson said that he hoped to be able to very soon extend the road east from Paw Paw to Kalamazoo and Battle Creek, although he did not care to include this in the proposition at this time. The road as contemplated would be run in connection with what is known as the St. Jo. Valley road which extends from Benton Harbor to some point in Indiana, the two being connected by an extension of the S. H. & E. from Hartford to Benton Harbor.

#### Advertised Letters.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in this office for the week ending July 13, 1897:

Beedow, Mr. M.	Keal, Walter C.
Bacon, Mrs. Bert	King, Mr. Henry
Burton, Mr. Bert	Mason, Mrs. Joe
Church, Mr. Frank	Mosoman, J. V.
Cornell, Mr. Frank	Moryer, Mrs.
Cogan, Mr. John	Moor, Mr. Billy
Carpenter, Miss Alma	Morris, Nettie
Carus, Lilly	Neelson, Nels.
Clawson, Mrs. Cora	Onwoc, Eld. J. R.
Drake, Frank	Russell, Miss Cecile A.
Dobbin, Mr. W. M.	Stevens, Chas.
Eldred, Elmer	Samuels, Mrs. M. B.
Frazer, Russell	Souls, Chas. A.
Forbes, Elizabeth	Sorley, Mr. William
Firestone, Harvey	Snyder, A. R.
Frey, Mr. Fred	Schey, Mr. Stephen
Grannie, Mr. Frank	Templein, Master Thea
Harbaugh, Miss Effie	William, Natand Idore
Holston, Mr. Floyd	Wheeler, Mrs. Emily
Hodge, Miss Violet	Wood, Miss D. L.
Hure, Mr. Mat	Wagner, Mr. E.
Loune, Mr. John	Wensel, Mr. William
Listz, Mr. August	Walton, Ed.
Lee, B. F.	Whitney, Albert
Lee, Mr. Clarence	Wegner, F. A.

When calling for these letters please say "advertised."

H. R. HUNTINGTON, P. M.

Smoke Columbia 5 cent cigar

Good order, good music, good associates, at the summer garden. 532tf

It knocks a cold in one night. Ask for Nox-Kold at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price 25 cents.

### RECEPTION PLANNED.

But Benton Harbor Not Present to Be Received.

The Holland Daily Sentinel of Monday says: "The steamer City of Louisville with its Benton Harbor excursion, failed to arrive at the Holland resorts yesterday. The Holland city band accompanied the music to the park to give the Benton Harbor band an appropriate reception but found their kindness wasted."

Weather permitting the Benton Harbor excursionists will go next Sunday.

### NEW HARDWARE DEALER.

M. V. Cheesman Takes Possession of the Anderson Stock.

The business of the Benton Harbor hardware company has again changed hands. Yesterday the stock passed from the possession of George Anderson and became the property of M. V. Cheesman, who has been extensively engaged in the building business in this city, and has also been connected with various mercantile pursuits.

Possession was taken yesterday. Mr. Anderson will remain in the store under the employ of Mr. Cheesman who will continue his building operations in connection with the hardware business.

The new proprietor will increase the stock and add several new lines as the business demands.

"Charlie," the barber, who has his shop in the basement of THE NEWS building is an artist in his line. He invites everybody to call. Send your children to him and he will cut their hair in the most approved style.

### NEWS OF THE STATE.

The degree of A. M. was recently conferred upon Rev. C. DeWitt Brower of South Haven, by Oberlin college.

Lansing Republican: Senator George W. Merriman of Hartford, the very center of the southwestern Michigan peach belt, says he recently made a trip through his orchards, that under ordinary circumstances should bear hundreds of bushels of the fruit, says if he gets enough for table use in his own

Intelligent women would not use baking powder containing alum if they knew it, no matter how cheap it might be.

Cheap baking powders sell because people do not know what is in them.

Everything used in Cleveland's baking powder is plainly named on the label.

### Guarantee.

Grocers are authorized to give back your money if you do not find Cleveland's the best baking powder you have ever used.

Cleveland Baking Powder Co., N.Y.

family he will consider himself in great luck. The reports from the entire Michigan peach belt are about of the same character and the indications are now that peaches and cream will be as scarce in this neck o' woods as a breath of fresh air was last Friday.

Congressman Hamilton has secured the following pensions: William Herbert, Plainwell, Allegan county, \$3; Mrs. Adeli A. Eastman, Bangor, Van Buren county, \$8 from July, 1890; Charles H. Hitchcock, Lawton, Montcalm county, \$12.

Chris Allison has resigned as postmaster at Cassopolis and several good republicans are willing to take the job.

A steamer ran up the St. Joseph river the other day as far as Constantine, and was quite a curiosity to the people along the shore, as it was the first steamer which has ascended the river that far in forty years.

We have just received a fine line of solid gold and gold filled spectacles. We will fit them to your eyes and sell them at one-half the regular price. Call and see them at C.R. Hollis & Son's, the boss jewelers. 530c26

Do your cooking with a gas stove and avoid all dust or dirt. tf511

See the best door stop made at the NEWS office. E. H. Kelley, agent

### A HORDE OF PHYSICIANS.

Registering in This County to Escape a Contemplated Law.

The possibility of a law being enacted by the Michigan legislature requiring new physicians to pass an examination before a state board of medical men appointed for that purpose has had the effect of increasing the registration of physicians with the county clerk of this county.

Not a day passes but that from one to a half dozen physicians register in this county. The majority of them are physicians who have practiced for years and live in Illinois and Indiana. A bill providing for the institution of a board of medical examiners was defeated at the late session of the legislature and there is a possibility of its coming up again and of its becoming a law.

The inconvenience of a Chicago physician who secures a case in this state in being compelled to take an examination before he can treat a patient here has lead them to great exertion in getting their names on the list of practicing physicians in this county.

### BLOOD WON.

Fair Anna Was a Deacon's Niece, but She Enjoyed the Race.

One of these men who came in from the country and has climbed from the bottom of the ladder to the top likes to tell a story on his wife, whose second beauty is crowned by a mass of silken hair as white as cotton.

"We both lived on a farm then," he says. "Anna was an orphan and brought up by a strict old uncle, who was a deacon. She was pretty and bright, but so prim and straitlaced that she would sanction nothing to which the deacon himself objected, and no old Covenanter ever drew the lines more closely than he did."

"Next to Anna my affections were centered on a colt that was good to look at and developed a wonderful speed and gameness that spoke of aristocratic descent. I told this to no one but Anna, and it was with great difficulty that I induced her to ride one Sunday with me to a camp meeting behind a real trotter."

"Going to the meeting I regulated the colt's pace to suit the day and the occasion, and he was as sedate as the deacon himself. The only girl of the neighborhood who pretended to rival Anna in beauty was there with a young fellow who prided himself on having the fastest horses in the county. Toward sundown she told Anna that we had better start home early. They would require much less time and would probably pass us on the way. That made me mad and I thought I detected an unwonted fire in her eyes. We were jogging homeward as decorously as we had gone, talking solemnly as we should, when there was a rush past us, a cloud of dust and a mocking laugh that bade us 'goodby.' My colt was prancing and pulling like a tugboat. I was bound to please my girl, grinding as it was."

"Let 'er go!" came between her red lips and white set teeth just as a girl of the period would say 'Let 'er go, Gallagher.'

"That was enough. Fences and trees flew the other way. Blood told, and the colt seemed on wings. When we were nose and nose, Anna was so excited that she wanted to take the reins for fear I couldn't win the Sunday race. But the gallant colt shot us through ahead. It wasn't long till Anna wore a little jewelry and tolerated cards to the extent of playing 'old maid.'"—St. Louis Republic.

#### To Ottawa Beach.

The steamer City of Louisville will give an excursion to Ottawa Beach Sunday, July 18, under the auspices of Fratzell's band, leaving Benton Harbor at 8 a. m., St. Joseph at 9 a. m., leaving the beach on return at 5 p. m., arriving home at 9 o'clock. The fare for this round trip is 50 cents. This will give patrons a splendid ride along the lake shore and a good opportunity to visit the charming resorts of Ottawa Beach, Holland and immediate vicinity. The band will furnish their usual excellent program en-route and during the stay at the beach.

GRAHAM & MORTON TRANS. CO.

It knocks a cold in one night. Ask for Nox-Kold at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price 25 cents.

For weak lungs and feebleness, Chase's Barley Malt Whiskey is an excellent Tonic. It is absolutely pure, full of nutriment, and builds up the system. John Schairer, Sole agent for Benton Harbor.

Good music at the summer garden every evening.

#### SUMMER TOURS

VIA  
BIG FOUR ROUTE,

TO THE

Mountains, Lakes and Seashore.

Special Low Rates will be in effect to Put-in-bay, Islands of Lake Erie; Lake Chautauqua, Niagara Falls, Thousand Islands, St. Lawrence River, Adirondacks, Lake George, New England Resorts, New York and Boston. To the Great Lakes, Cleveland, Sandusky, Toledo, Detroit, Benton Harbor, Mt. Clemens, Mackinac and Michigan Resorts. To the Northwest and West via St. Louis and Chicago. For rates, routes, time of travel and full particulars apply to any agent. BIG FOUR ROUTE.

## Chester Sweet's Bicycle Bargains

I have 8 Ladies' Wheels that I secured at a bargain and I will sell them this week at \$25.00

I also have the celebrated Wabash Diamond Frame Wheels, at . . . \$32.00

And the Thorsen Special at . . . \$45.00

This last wheel is a strictly high grade wheel equal to any \$100.00 wheel on the market.

CHESTER C. SWEET

139 Pipestone Street.

### RIDE A

## CLIPPER ..BICYCLE

A STRICTLY  
HIGH GRADE WHEEL

## QUICK MEAL GASOLINE STOVES

THE CLEVELAND  
..REFRIGERATORS

PAINTS AND OILS...

W. H. BAKER...  
124 PIPESTONE ST.

## A Wonder of the Age.

### A PROBLEM FOR THE MEDICAL FRATERNITY THE LAST QUARTER CENTURY.

SOLVED AT LAST BY

## Dr. D. P. ORDWAY

After 15 Years' Hard Application.

The invention of the Dr. Ordway plaster is a God-send to humanity! The Ordway plaster actually absorbs the deleterious matter from the flesh without irritating the skin, and actually cures the most chronic cases of Rheumatism, Heart, Lung, Liver and Stomach Trouble, Gout, Pleurisy, Lumbago, Headache, Kidney Trouble and Female weakness.

If You Need Any of the Plasters

...CALL AT...

## LOWE & ROUSE'S

PHARMACISTS

Prices 25c or a full treatment for \$2.50.

"Prove all things and hold fast to that which is good."

### A Word to the Wise is Sufficient.

The following persons will gladly answer any inquiry concerning their experience with the Ordway Plaster: Dr. Geo. Dale, Iowa, T. E. Case, Marshallfield; Dr. A. H. Guernsey, Amherst; Darius Braze, Eau Claire; A. B. Millard, Antigo; Capt. Thos. L. Pollok, National Soldiers' Home, Milwaukee; Dr. W. Towns, Fond du Lac; Dr. J. Barber, Galesville; Geo. Scott, Oshkosh; all in Wisconsin.

We have often cured the most stubborn cases with one treatment, or a dozen Plasters, which costs you only \$2.50.

## LOWE & ROUSE

Expels Sleeplessness from your bed-chamber and gives you sweet refreshing sleep instead. Calms the nerves—feeds and rests the brain. A Non-Intoxicant. All Druggists.



125 Pipestone Street.  
The postoffice at Benton Harbor is  
second class matter.  
SUBSCRIPTION RATES:  
Delivered in Benton Harbor or St. Joseph.  
One year, \$2.50 in advance; one month,  
\$1.00. Weekly News, \$1.00 a year.  
TWIN CITY TELEPHONE 172.  
TUESDAY, JULY 13, 1897.

#### PROSPERITY.

There is no word more dear to the American heart. It means that he who has no home may earn one. Prosperity means happiness. It will put food in the empty stomach and good clothes on the ragged back and surround everyone with comfort and content.

In these days so much has been said about the return of prosperity and so many false promises have been made that people almost wonder if the word for will ever come. If only the nation were settled prosperity would appear. Election passed and yet prosperity kept in its secret hiding. The same promise concerning the inauguration was made and failed. And now the hope is held aloft that when the new tariff bill comes into effect prosperity will dawn like the dawning of the morning, throwing aside before its rays of light the dark curtain of commercial despair.

Much sorrow is brought by placing trust in the promises of politicians. The hope of brighter days is deferred and the heart is sick. It is making a bad matter worse by keeping up a continual program of lying about the approach of something which everybody knows is not visibly approaching.

Prosperity will come in time; it will come gradually and not with any miraculous manifestation. The clouds will not open to let it down nor the waters of the deep throw it to the surface. Make the best of your opportunities today and tomorrow you may feel the touch of prosperity's magic fingers.

In the meantime, remember that the false prophets of the ancient church are the politicians of today.

The operators of the coal mines like George M. Pullman, declare that they have nothing to arbitrate. The miners are willing to submit their claims to a board of arbitrators. The public will decide between the two and decide in favor of the miners.

#### Presentation at Court.

A morning journal much given to ro-mance announces that "the precautions taken by the lord chamberlain to preclude the possibility of any one appearing at a drawing room whose past will not bear the closest scrutiny are yearly becoming more rigorous." This is a farago of the most fiction. As a matter of fact, the lord chamberlain takes no "precautions" whatever, and it is difficult to conceive how this official could possibly investigate the antecedents of the hordes of nonentities who now go to court unless he were provided with a large staff of detectives. All the responsibility of a presentation is now thrown upon the (presumably) "unimpeachable female" who undertakes it.

If an "improper person" is presented, the immediate result is the arrival of a stamp of anonymous letters at the lord chamberlain's office. The lady who has made the presentation is then communicated with, and if the ultimate result is unsatisfactory, she is punished by being herself excluded from court for a year or two, or if it is a bad case, she receives sentence of permanent banishment. Moreover, if a lady on the state ball or concert invitation list has been so indiscreet as to make an undesirable presentation, her name is struck off forever. It is only in very aggravated cases that presentations are publicly canceled in The Gazette. The usual course is for the lord chamberlain to inform the offender that her presentation took place "by mistake," and that she is to consider it as canceled. Episodes of this description are of frequent occurrence, but they are kept as secret as possible for obvious reasons.—London Truth.

#### How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & Co.

Props., Toledo, O.  
We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.  
WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.  
WALDING, KINNAN & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.  
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.  
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

The Benton Harbor hardware company will save you money this week.

#### Notice to Water Takers.

All persons using city water for lawn sprinkling are required to pay for the same at once (unless they have already done so), or they will be liable to have the water supply shut off. Water is not for all other purposes for the month ending Dec. 31, 1897, are now being sold and should be paid without delay. Persons are cautioned against violating the rules for lawn sprinkling.



There is no word more dear to the American heart. It means that he who has no home may earn one. Prosperity means happiness. It will put food in the empty stomach and good clothes on the ragged back and surround everyone with comfort and content.

## Do You Want a Set of Dishes?

We have the right kind at the right price. We carry the largest stock, the finest and most up-to-date dishes in the city. We import our Crockery direct, buy in large quantities, are satisfied with small profits and are here to please. Note a few of our prices

100 piece dinner sets, from \$5.00 to \$16.00  
Chamber sets, from \$1.50 to \$9.00  
56 piece tea sets, from \$3.50 to \$4.50  
4 piece glass sets, from 25c to 75c  
7 piece berry sets, 25c  
Water sets, from 50c to \$2.00  
A full line of Delft ware 10c apiece.

Fancy cups and saucers, vases, water bottles, cut glass, cuspidores, lamps, individual sugars and creams, etc., at prices that will surprise you. If you want good clean groceries at low prices give us a call. If you want slop and dirt, don't.

## JOHN T. OWENS

Next to the Post-Office.

## A SILK BARGAIN

..AT..

## The New York Store

We have included in this sale many designs and colorings, suitable for Waists, worth \$1 to \$1.25 a yd. They will last but a few days at the extraordinary low price of

ONLY 49c YARD

## PUTERBAUGH & RAPP

NEW YORK STORE.

107 Pipestone Street.

### IN LOCAL TRADE CIRCLES

Bargains and Where They May be Secured.

It knocks a cold in one night. Ask for Nox-Kold at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price 25 cents.

Pro Patria, a gentleman's smoke; 10 cigars for 5c. Beware of imitations. See that your cigar is stamped Pro Patria. Geo. Moebis & Co., manufacturers, Detroit.

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#### Detroit Excursions.

July 5, 6, 12 and 13 the Vandalla line will sell tickets to Detroit, Mich., and return at one fare for the round trip, account meeting of Young People's Christian union, and meeting of the National Republican league of the United States. For full information call on or address

FRANK R. HALE, agent.

Smoke Columbia 5 cent cigar.

You are as safe to take your wife to the summer garden as to a neighbor's parlor.

Ask for Columbia 5 cent cigar.

We connect gas stoves free of charge. Call and see the different styles we have connected for display, prices ranging from \$6.00 to \$25.00. Excelsior Gas Co. 1511

#### Eastman Springs Water.

Lamb & Ayers are now delivering Eastman Springs water anywhere in the two cities. Leave orders with F. S. Hopkins, druggist, or Michael & Beeny, grocers.

George W. Grant, Coloma, sells the Katie Putnam cigar. 502126

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#### Relief in Six Hours

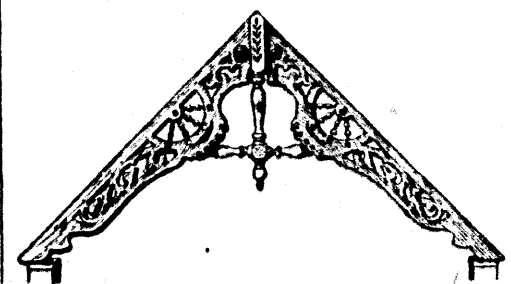
Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "New South American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves immediately. Water and pain in passing is almost immediately relieved. It is a great relief and cure for all such cases. Price 25c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

## Baths at Eastman Springs

Why go abroad for treatment when you can get better at home? The baths at Eastman Springs are recommended by local physicians and prescribed. The expense one-fourth as much as giving away and the results as good. The bath house is now furnished with all conveniences.

## Artistic Wood Work

By expending a few dollars in grills, in brackets or wood ornaments you can greatly improve the appearance of your house both interior and exterior.



W. H. Berkheiser  
159 West Main Street.

## Buy a Wheel OF THE ORIN CYCLE CO.

And Get Your Repairs At Home. All Kinds of Machine Repairs Neatly Done And Guaranteed.

Try a PICKWICK single tube TIRE, guaranteed one year.

Orin Cycle Co.  
145 PIPESTONE STREET.

## S. M. WHITE

Dentist

## FLIES! ..COMING... ORDER AT ONCE YOUR DOOR

## WINDOW SCREENS

ANY SIZE AND STYLE TO SUIT PURCHASER.

## S. C. ZOMBRO, TRUSTEE.

Lumber, Lath, Shingles, Exterior and Interior Building Material.

F. B. CHRISTOPHER, MANAGER.

A. A. COVELL ESTIMATOR.

Office, Yard and Planing Mill, NORTH SIDE CANAL, BENTON HARBOR, MICH.

## LOOK HERE ..JUST A MINUTE WE ARE SELLING Hose and Sprinklers

for lawns at a reduced rate. Also all kinds of Plumbing Goods at reasonable prices. We have a few Gum Hose Nozzles at 25c each, the best.

Now is the time to put in your Furnaces for winter, and Hot Water Heating or Steam Heat. We can heat an 8 to 10 room house with steam for \$175 to \$200.

No change as yet, the same firm and same place.

## B. L. HALL,

126 Pipestone St. Telephone 79-11.

## W. C. Hovey's Specialties...



Hand Made Harness... The Best Carriages Made Wagons That Are Right.. Farm Machinery...

He saves his customers money. You are invited to become one of his customers.

## W. C. HOVEY

Pipestone street,

Benton Harbor

## Keep Hammering

By advertising your goods in THE EVENING NEWS. There is no better medium—or even half so good—in Berrien county to reach the consumer. Enough said.

## Y. M. C. A. Moonlight ..Excursion Up the St. Joseph River

The Young Men's Christian Association will run a moonlight excursion up the St. Joseph river

## Wednesday Evening July 14..

EXCURSION BY THE

## Elegant Steamer "Tourist"

Leave St. Joseph at 7:45 and Benton Harbor at 8 o'clock.

MUSIC BY THE

## Evening News Boys' Band

Fare for the Round Trip, 25 Cents



# ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure.

Celebrated for its great leavening strength and healthfulness. Assures the food against all forms of adulterations common to cheap brands.  
ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., New York.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

**MOONLIGHT** excursion of the Y. M. C. A. up the St. Joseph river tomorrow night.

**PURTERBAUGH & Rapp** are offering a silk bargain, worth \$1 to \$1.25, at the low price of 40c a yd.

ON account of the weather last evening the Universalist excursion to Chicago was postponed for one week.

**R. A. WHITEHEAD** has secured the principalship of the Manistee high school at a salary of \$1,100 per year.

**COLONEL Foeltzer** will not follow the example of Colonel Pope and make a 25 per cent reduction in the price of his bicycles.

**H. ARMSTRONG**, 139 Niles avenue, has been appointed agent for south-western Michigan for the Shepp publishing company of Philadelphia.

A **JACKSON** newspaper correspondent declares that "Prof." Gleason who made the balloon ascension here is only a chimney sweep when he is at home.

**THE W. C. T. U.** will meet with Mrs. D. Hunt, 120 East Main street, at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The quarterly reports of department superintendents will be read.

**THE Baker stock company** will play for the benefit of the **EVENING NEWS** band on Thursday and Friday evenings. The boys of the band want uniforms and this is a fine opportunity to help them.

**THE Ladies Guild** of the Episcopal church desire to express their gratitude to the members of **THE EVENING NEWS** Boys band for the selections rendered by them in front of Conkey's opera house Saturday evening on the occasion of the X Ray exhibition.

**THE Alger Guards** have been invited to attend the inspection by Assistant Secretary of the Navy Roosevelt of the Chicago and Mississippi river divisions of the Illinois Naval Reserve. Monday, July 19. It is expected that Captain Graves and others of the officers of the guards will accept the invitation.

**THE Methodist people** with great reluctance give up the trees which formerly gave shade to the church yard.

...walk could not be laid until the trees were taken out and so the trustees ordered its destruction.

**JOHN Currier** and **M. W. Jennings**, two members of the jury that decided Hickory Creek drain was a necessity, greatly differ in their reports of the manner in which their verdict was received by the farmers residing in the Baroda community. Mr. Jennings is quoted in the Palladium as saying that there was no indignation manifested when the verdict was announced and Mr. Currier told **THE NEWS** the next day after the jury had made its decision that indignation ran so high that the jurors concluded they could find a more comfortable atmosphere and left for St. Joseph. The opposition to the building of the drain so forcibly manifested all along has a tendency to convince the public that Mr. Currier's version of the demonstration that occurred when the verdict was announced was very near the truth.

**HEALTH MEANS** a perfect condition of the whole system. Pure blood is essential to perfect health. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes pure blood and thus gives health and happiness.

**HOOD'S PILLS** are the favorite family cathartic and liver medicine. Price 25c.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

—Mrs. Pearce, of Boston, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles Morris, McAllister avenue.

—Alderman Volheim and City Attorney Ellsworth spent Sunday at Paw Paw lake, the guests of Captain Feltus.

—Burridge Butler and wife of Chicago, spent Sunday with Mr. Butler's grandmother, Mrs. F. H. Christopher, Columbus avenue.

—Dr. Freemyer returned from South Bend this morning. The doctor says that he noticed along the way that the apple and peach crops will be very light.

—Attorney F. H. Ellsworth and Postmaster Huntington went to Detroit last night as delegates to the convention of the national league of republican clubs.

### Excursion to Chicago Postponed.

The Universalist ladies will give their dollar excursion to Chicago next Monday night, July 19, returning Tuesday night, July 20, giving all day Tuesday in the city of Chicago. One dollar for the round trip. Tickets on sale at L. T. Burridge's shoe store, S. M. Austin's restaurant and at the hotel offices in St. Joseph and Benton Harbor.

### Nate Gifford's hack makes all trains

We have just received a fine line of solid gold and gold filled spectacles. We will fit them to your eyes and sell them at one-half the regular price. Call and see them at C.R. Hollis & Son's, the boss jewelers. 536t26

Do your cooking with a gas stove and avoid all dust or dirt. t511

**Largest team ball games yesterday:** At Pittsburgh—Washington 13, Pittsburgh 4; at Cincinnati—New York 8, Cincinnati 5; at Louisville—Philadelphia 7, Louisville 10; at St. Louis—Baltimore 9, St. Louis 5; at Cleveland—Boston 8, Cleveland 3; at Chicago—Brooklyn 9, Chicago 13.

**Western League:** At Indianapolis—Detroit 4, Indianapolis 14; (second game) Detroit 1, Indianapolis 11; at St. Paul—Kansas City 3, St. Paul 7; at Grand Rapids and Milwaukee—Rain.

**Western Association:** At Dubuque—Cedar Rapids 4, Dubuque 5.

### New Way to Run Him Down.

New York, July 13.—Louis D. Pahlul, a prominent real estate dealer of this city, is sued for divorce by his wife Lizzie on statutory grounds. Seven actresses are named as co-respondents. A peculiar feature of the case is the fact that Mrs. Pahlul herself secured all the necessary evidence while dressed as a man.

### Mrs. Stevenson Goes to Europe.

Bloomington, Ill., July 13.—Mrs. Adlai E. Stevenson departed Sunday for New York. She will sail on the St. Louis today for Southampton and go to London to join her husband. She will remain until the close of the labors of the bimetallic commission, of which her husband, the former vice president, is a member.

### Gov. Tanner Goes to Detroit.

Springfield, Ill., July 13.—A delegation headed by Governor Tanner, chairman of the state delegation, and Secretary of State Rose, left last night for Detroit to attend the annual convention of the National Republican League.

### Quentin Bandera Is Dead.

Havana, July 13.—Reports from Sancti Spiritus confirm the rumor that General Quentin Bandera, who commanded the insurgents in the engagement on July 5 at Papaya Heights, was killed during the fighting.

The Chicago restaurant sells the "G. & M." cigar. 26t542

The Forler House at Niles sells the "G. & M." and "Extra Quality" cigars. 26t542

W. A. Baker, druggist, Eau Claire, sells Katie Putnam cigars. 24t546

### To Ottawa Beach.

The steamer City of Louisville will give an excursion to Ottawa Beach Sunday, July 18, under the auspices of Frazell's band, leaving Benton Harbor at 8 a. m., St. Joseph at 9 a. m., leaving the beach on return at 5 p. m., arriving home at 9 o'clock. The fare for this round trip is 50 cents. This will give patrons a splendid ride along the lake shore and a good opportunity to visit the charming resorts of Ottawa Beach, Holland and immediate vicinity. The band will furnish their usual excellent program en-route and during the stay at the beach.

GRAHAM & MORTON TRANS. CO.

It knocks a cold in one night. Ask for Nox-a-Kold at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price 25 cents.

See the best door stop made at the NEWS office. E. H. Kelley, agent

Good music at the summer garden every evening.

# Wash. Dress. Goods ..SALE..

..AT THE..

## Chicago. Bargain. Store

Leaders of Low and Popular Prices.

Scotch lawns at 4c, worth 7c.  
French dimity nanosook at 8c, worth 12c.  
French lawn, 33 in. wide, at 8c, worth 12c.  
Lace fancies at 8c, worth 12c.  
Dimity checks at 8c, worth 12c.  
Valois lace at 10c, worth 15c.  
Mimosa organdies at 14c, worth 20c.  
Gaze cardonnet organdies at 14c, worth 20c.  
Estamine Royale at 15c, cheap at 22c.  
Fancy striped organdies at 16c, worth 25c.  
Fancy rainbow mulls at 15c, cheap at 25c.  
Lappet mulls at 14c, cheap at 25c.  
Embroidered lace organdies at 20c, a bargain at 30c.  
Fine French organdies at 25c, cheap at 35c.  
36 in. French cambric at 10c, regular price 14c.  
French Gingham at 8c, regular price 12c.  
Best apron gingham at 4c and 5c.  
Best dress gingham at 5c.  
28 in. percale at 7c.  
34 in. percale at 8c.  
French duck suiting at 12c.  
Irish crash suitings at 15c.  
French crash suitings at 17c and 25c.  
100 pieces best standard prints at 4c.

The above bargains are to be had by calling at the

## Chicago Bargain Store.

Leaders of Low and Popular Prices,

106 East Main Street,

Hotel Benton Block

# THE ENTERPRISE..

HANSEN BLOCK, 116 EAST MAIN STREET,  
BENTON HARBOR, MICH.



## CLOSING OUT SALE

The Greatest Opportunity ever offered in Benton  
...Harbor to purchasers of

**DRY GOODS**  
and...  
**MILLINERY**



ON account of a change soon to take place in our firm we have agreed to lower our stock at any cost to us before inventory, hence this whole stock of **DRY GOODS AND MILLINERY** is put on sale

Commencing Monday,  
June 21st...

at less than manufacturers' cost, which is way below wholesale prices. This means a benefit to the public which you cannot afford to pass by.

It will pay you to lay in your supplies now. **FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS** the opportunity is yours to make money by purchasing **DRY GOODS** and **MILLINERY** at the Enterprise. Positively a Genuine Slaughter Sale.

**OVER \$15,000 WORTH OF GOODS**

Consisting of Silks, Grenadines, Crepons, Novelties, Serges, Henriettas, Organdies, Percales, Dimities, Gingham, Lawns, Dresses, Wrappers, Skirts, Millinery, Ribbons, Flowers, Etc.

Come early before the stock is broken for surely the prices will move the goods rapidly

..The Enterprise  
Mercantile Company

HANSEN BLOCK, 116 E. MAIN STREET..



...OBSERVED THIS RULE.

...of a Pyrotechnic Show Who

...Want to Disappoint His Audi-

...Monument Which Proves That

...Were Appreciated.

...always strive to please," remarked

...editor, as he scratched the

...big thing" out of the advance

...he was writing and substituted

...Christian aggregation."

...I am sure," said the ad-

...agent, as he read over the ten

...the dramatic critic was giving to

...and carefully put back into his

...the half column notice he had

...drawn on the d. c.

...presume," smiled the d. c., "that

...always strive to please, too, don't

..."

...Not always"—in a semidissatisfied

...but I used to have a friend who

...He really was the most self deny-

...chap I ever saw, and what he

...couldn't do to please an audience

...was worth doing."

...Where is he now?"

...Dead."

...Yes, it killed him. It was this way:

...was in the pyrotechnic branch of

...dramatic art and used to give shows

...of those imitation Coney Islands

...found on nearly every sand bar in

...over river tributary to the Mis-

...sissippi. He had been the originator of

...the fireworks feature at this place, and

...his phenomenal success had made him

...so proud that he would sooner have died

...than had a failure. One Fourth of July

...was going to give the grandest dis-

...play of his life, and the feature in the

...largest letters on the bill was a set

...piece, 100 feet high, with an enormous

...balloon loaded with fireworks to go up

...from the top as a grand finale. There

...were ten times as many people there

...that night as there had ever been, and

...my friend was feeling so good you could

...see it in his walk.

...Everybody was on edge, too, for the

...grand blaze of glory the management

...had been advertising for weeks, and

...when, promptly at the hour of 10

...o'clock, my friend stepped forth like a

...peacock to set off the great display with

...his own hand there was a round of ap-

...plause, followed by a dead silence as

...the audience sat breathless watching for

...the burst of blazing glory. But some-

...how it didn't burst. The professor fired

...the train and retreated to a safe place,

...but the powder wouldn't burn. It fizzled

...and went out instead. Once, twice,

...thrice, it fizzled, sputtered and went

...out, and then the crowd began to growl

...and yell, as crowds always will, and

...the professor began to get wild.

...Several other attempts to set the

...piece off were no more successful, and

...at last, with a smothered scream of

...fury, he shot up the ladder of the

...tower to its very top, where he had a

...platform stowed with all sorts of inflam-

...mable and explosive things arranged to

...go off at the proper time. He stood

...there a moment silhouetted against the

...sky, the crowd indulging in gibes and

...jeers, with now and then a threat as to

...what he might expect if he would only

...come down to the ground. This was his

...time to show what he could do to please

...his audience, and in a minute, and be-

...fore anybody had any idea what he

...would do next, he caught up an armful

...of the explosives about him, fastened

...them to his clothes and hung wreaths

...and rings over his neck and shoulders,

...and setting the whole thing afire, he

...went out into the air in the balloon,

...which was already tugging at its anchor.

...As the balloon shot up it was a ter-

...rible sight, and the poor devil's shrieks

...added to the intensity of the scene, al-

...ready lurid with red and blue lights,

...while the air was filled with all manner

...of bursting bombs and crashing explo-

...sives. Women fainted, men ran help-

...lessly about shouting, and still the bal-

...loon swept upward with its fiery freight

...and passenger, until, when it had

...reached a point 1,000 feet above the

...earth, it caught fire and the whole

...burning mass shot like a blazing ball

...straight to the ground.

...You will be safe in betting those

...people never saw such an exhibition as

...that before, nor will ever again in all

...probability, and when it was over,"

...reminiscent the agent, "the audience

...seemed to realize what the professor

...had done to please them, and they chip-

...ped in and built him a monument

...where he fell, having on it, besides his

...name and the proper dates, no other in-

...scription except 'He strived to please.'"

...The dramatic critic was at least half

...a minute in recovering his speech after

...the recital of this remarkable tale, and

...before he could ask any questions the

...advance agent had folded his tent like

...a circus and stolen away to the office of

...the next dramatic critic he had to call

...upon.—Washington Star.

...A Toad as a Talisman.

...The Western Morning News reports a

...remarkable case of superstition. A

...young woman in Penzance had suffered

...from fits, and she adopted a remedy

...which would be to most people almost

...as repulsive as the disease itself. She

...procured a live toad, placed it in a bag,

...hung it around her neck and carried it

...about her body. The woman was cured

...of her fits, but she was being medically

...treated at the Penzance infirmary at

...the same time. The woman believes,

...however, that this was a coincidence

...and that her strange talisman was the

...instrument of her cure.—South Wales

...A Different Matter.

...The Man (expectantly)—Then you

...are my wife?

...The Girl—No, indeed. I simply said

...you.—New York Ledger.

...Japanes servants are content if you

...show them with discretion and treat

...them with the established consideration

...of the country. There is a universal

...social compact in Japan to make life

...pleasant by politeness. Everybody is

...more or less well bred and hates the

...man or woman who is yakamashi—

...noisy, uncivil or exigent.

...People who lose their temper are al-

...ways in a hurry, bang doors, swear and

...swagger, find themselves out of place

...in a land where the lowest cool learns

...and practices an ancient courtesy from

...the time when he wabbles about as a

...baby upon his mother's back. Therefore

...to be treated well in Japan—as perhaps,

...indeed, elsewhere—you must treat every-

...body, including your domestics, well,

...and then you will enjoy the most pleas-

...ant and willing service.

...Your cook will doubtless cheat you a

...little, your jinrikisha man will now

...and then take too much sake, the mu-

...sica and the boy's wife will gallop all

...over the place about everything you do,

...and the gardener and the coachman will

...fight cocks in the back yard when your

...back is turned, but if conscious of your

...own you can forgive the little sins of

...others. You can hardly fail to become

...closely attached to the quiet, soft voiced,

...pleasant people, who as soon as they

...have learned your ways will take real

...pleasure in making life agreeable to you.

...A present now and then of a kimono

...to the maids, of toys and sweetmeats

...to the children, a day's holiday now

...and then granted to the theater or the

...wrestling match are richly rewarded by

...such bright faces and unmistakable warmth

...of welcome on arriving and of good

...speed on going as repay you tenfold.

...Respectful as Japanese servants are—

...and they never speak except on their

...knees and faces—they like to be taken

...into the family conversation and to sit

...sometimes in friendly abandon with the

...master and mistress, admiring dresses,

...pictures or western novelties and listen-

...ing sometimes to the samisen and koto

...as children of the household.—Edwin

...Arnold in Scribner's.

...QUEER LIBRARY FREAKS.

...Funny Requests For Books That Amuse

...and Amaze Employees.

...Once in awhile the clerks in the pub-

...lic library get hold of a good joke

...through the ignorance of people who

...come there to take out books. It was

...not long ago that a woman who was

...anxious to join the Daughters of the

...American Revolution came there to

...look up her family history and get her

...facts and claims ready to submit to the

...committee on membership. She went

...about it in rather a queer way. After

...looking about aimlessly through the in-

...dex for a time she discovered "Lossing's

...Family History of the United States." She

...wrote her request for the books on

...one of the cards provided for that pur-

...pose and was quite indignant with the

...clerk who handed it to her because it

...did not contain what she wanted.

...It was not long after this incident

...that another woman, who, from her

...dress and appearance, the clerks thought,

...might be literary, wrote on one of the

...cards a request for "The Autocrat of

...the Breakfast Table."

...Holmes' 'Autocrat, do you want?"

...politely asked the clerk.

...Oh, I don't care whose it is," was

...the reply. "I only want to find out if it

...is proper to use toothpicks at the break-

...fast table."

...Another request for a magazine which

...the applicant said was called Brain

...kept one of the clerks busy hunting half

...an hour before he discovered that what

...was wanted was the magazine called

...Mind. Still another clerk was shocked

...the other day by a request for Wash-

...ington Irving's "Alabama." The clerk

...mildly suggested "Alhambra."—Chi-

...cago Times-Herald.

...Deafness.

...It has been stated that three persons

...out of every five in this country who

...have attained the age of 40 years are

...more or less deaf in one or both ears.

...A large proportion of this deafness is

...caused by catarrh, and medical treat-

...ment for difficulty of hearing is usually

...directed to the catarrhal source. In Eu-

...rope much of the deafness is hereditary.

...Dr. James Kerr Love of Glasgow re-

...cently read a paper on deafness before

...the Royal society of Edinburgh, from

...which it appears that congenital deaf-

...ness may be either hereditary in the di-

...rect line or in collateral branches, and

...that it depends on not one, but many

...anatomical defects. Intermarriage of

...deaf persons perpetuates but does not

...accentuate the tendency of deafness.

...The hearing brothers and sisters of deaf

...mutes are as likely to have deaf mute

...offspring as if they had been deaf mutes

...themselves. Consanguinity of parents

...emphasizes family defects, and in this

...way many cases of congenital deafness

...occur. One of the most singular points

...of Dr. Love's paper was the assertion

...that the state had the right to control

...the marriage of persons belonging to

...families badly tainted with deafness.

...Ancient Tombstones.

...The custom of inscribing upon tomb-

...stones was in vogue among the Greeks

...and Romans. The Greeks only did this,

...however, in the case of their illustrious

...men, but when a Roman died he was

...duly buried near a highway, and on his

...tombstone was carved a suitable inscrip-

...tion, which in the majority of cases be-

...gan with "Sta, viator" (stop, traveler).

...About 10,000,000 of the bovine spe-

...cies are now to be found in the Argen-

...tine Republic. They are all descendants

...of eight cows and one bull which were

...imported into Brazil in the middle of

...the sixteenth century.

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...-Kold at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guar-

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## Schedule of Time and Excursion Rates.

### Excursion Rates How Trains Run

#### THE BIG FOUR.

Account of Young People's Christian Union, Universalist Church, Detroit, Mich., July 6 to 13, '97.

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Tennessee Centennial.

The great southern exposition has created great interest throughout the country and applications are being made as to the best route to reach this great southern city. The "Big Four" has the best line from the east with through train service to Cincinnati from New York, Boston, Buffalo, Cleveland and Columbus; from Detroit, Toledo and Sandusky to Cincinnati; and from Chicago and Benton Harbor to Cincinnati and Louisville. Direct connections are made with the Q. & C. route and the L. & N. Ry. Full information will be cheerfully given upon application.

Account of the Fine Lake Assembly, at La Porte, Ind. Aug. 12 to 22, 1897.

The Big Four railway company will sell on Aug. 11 and 12, round trip excursion tickets at one lowest first class one way fare. Final return limit Aug. 23.

Epworth League Convention.

The "Big Four Route" will name special low rates for this convention and calls attention to superiority of its line from St. Louis, Peoria, Indianapolis, Cincinnati, Dayton, Springfield, Columbus, via Cleveland, Buffalo and Niagara Falls to Toronto, or via Toledo and Detroit. Apply for full particulars.

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Bay View.

Camp meeting and assembly. One fare for round trip. Sell July 12 to 22. Return limit August 21.

Chattanooga.

Baptist Young People's Union meeting. One fare for round trip. Sell July 13, 14, 15. Return limit July 21. Limit will be extended to August 15 if desired.

Ludington.

Epworth League assembly. One fare for round trip. Sell July 20 to 29. Return limit Aug. 17.

Chicago.

Unveiling Logan Monument. One fare for round trip. Sell July 21. Return limit July 26.

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Leave Benton Harbor	Leave St. Joseph	Arrive Chicago	Leave Chicago	Arrive St. Joseph	Arrive Benton Harbor
1:00 p. m. daily	4:30 p. m. daily	8:30 p. m. daily	9:30 a. m. daily	1:30 p. m. daily	2:30 p. m. daily
ex Sat. & Sun	10:50 p. m. daily	4:00 a. m. daily	11:30 p. m. daily	4:00 p. m. daily	5:30 a. m. daily
8:30 a. m. daily	Inc. Sunday	12:00 noon Sat.	Inc. Sunday	8:00 p. m. Sun.	
Inc. Sunday	8:00 a. m. Sat.	day only	10:00 p. m. Sun.	day only	
7:00 a. m. Sat.	day only	day only	8:00 p. m. Sat.	day only	7:00 p. m. Sat.
day only	day only	day only	day only	day only	day only



## Coal at Pittsburgh Has Advanced 150 Per Cent. in Price.

### ARBITRATION NOW THE FEATURE.

State Labor Boards Trying to End the Trouble Peacefully—One Operator Who Declines to Assent—Plenty of Coal in the Pools, but its Use Might Cause Another Strike—Situation in West Virginia and Other Storm Centers.

Pittsburgh, July 13.—The miners strike is causing the price of coal to still advance and yesterday it was selling at \$1.50, an increase of 150 per cent. since the commencement of the struggle. The feature in matters pertaining to the strike was the presence in the city of the joint arbitration board, which is endeavoring by every means possible to bring to a peaceable conclusion the strike now in progress. The board held informal sessions and in the intervals interviewed quite a number of operators, the big majority of whom are in favor of arbitration provided all of the operators will abide by the decision rendered. One of the dissenters is W. P. Dearmitt, president of the New York and Cleveland Gas Coke company. He declares he has nothing to arbitrate and says the strike is the result of the machinations of politicians.

#### Will Call on Railway Men Next.

The strikers made further advances yesterday in getting out practically every miner in the district outside of Dearmitt's men, who still remain loyal to their employers. At a mass-meeting held at West Newton Vice President McKay, of the miners' association, said he believed the West Virginia mines would be closed down within two weeks. If they are not, he said, the railroad men would be called on to bring work to a standstill in that state. The operators claim that the railroads will supply cars sufficient to carry the entire output of the West Virginia fields.

#### Say There Is Plenty of Coal.

Many of them, however, still claim that there is plenty of coal on hand. It was stated last evening that a number of the river operators who have no facilities for loading their stocks on railroad cars are agitating the advisability of placing a hosting machine on the south side of the Monongahela river for the purpose of transferring coal from the boats into Pittsburgh and Lake Erie freight cars. By this method it is expected to supply some of the lake trade. Nearly all of the coal in the pools was stored in anticipation of the river being declared free, and it was intended to send it to the southern markets. Now that there is no boating stage and the market is open in the rail trade the proposition is looked on with favor.

#### Might Result in Another Strike.

One of the subordinate miners' officials was asked what the miners would do in the event of 8,000,000 bushels of coal being put on the market in the manner referred to. "You may say that the river operators might find it a very difficult job," he said. "Men who handle coal for a living are in sympathy with this movement, and we would have little trouble in getting them to stop work if they should start. We have no fears in that direction as yet."

#### ORGANIZERS BUSY AT WORK.

West Virginia Is the Field the Strike Leaders Are Attacking.

Pittsburgh, July 13.—A tri-state news bureau correspondent who has just made a tour of the West Virginia coal fields says: A trip through the coal regions, from the Ohio river to the Monongahela, would indicate that instead of a general strike among the miners prosperity had at last gained the day and was there to stay. At New Haven, Spillman, and other points along the line of the Ohio river railroad the mines and coke ovens are running at their full capacity, the output being only limited by the lack of cars to transport the fuel and a scarcity of the men to mine the product. A similar condition exists on the Monongahela river at Flemington, along the line of the West Virginia and Pittsburgh road, at the Harrison, Despard and Ocean mines. The Palatine miners have demanded an increase of 10 cents per ton, and it is said that if the request is refused it will be the beginning of a West Virginia strike.

Agitators from the Ohio and other coal fields have been quietly circulating among the men in the Fairmont, Monongahela and Flemington territories, and it would not create much surprise if the demand of the Palatine miners was a "feeler" thrown out through the influence of the agitators for the purpose of giving the men a grievance upon which they could work. The mine selected for the purpose is located in the center of a region wherein nearly 10,000 miners and cokers are employed and is just the spot that would be chosen by shrewd leaders for the purpose of provoking trouble. Though all appears quiet and peaceful among the West Virginia miners now it would take but a few hours to change the situation and it may be that the Palatine demand will do the work.

A dispatch from Wheeling, W. Va., says: Governor Atkinson, of West Virginia, arrived in the city from Charleston last evening. While here he had a conference with State Labor Commissioner Isaac V. Barton, at which a reporter was present. The coal strike with reference to West Virginia was gone over at some length. Of the 25,000 miners in the state, all are busily at work except the 700 or 800 men in the organized district in the Panhandle counties. Commissioner Barton spoke to the governor with reference to having him attend the conference of governors and labor commissioners at Pittsburgh today. The governor replied that he had not received an invitation to attend the conference and supposed that the reason he had not been invited was that there is practically nothing to arbitrate in this state yet.

#### Trouble Likely at This Point.

Bellaire, O., July 13.—The miners at Bellaire's mines were called upon by a committee of two from each of the mines in the Baltimore and Ohio yesterday to quit work. The committee was satisfied that the miners would not quit work.

at least town. Some are ready to prevent the miners from returning to work, and they will camp in that neighborhood. Secretary T. L. Lewis wired national headquarters for instructions and they answered that these men must come out at once.

#### Mount Sympathies with the Strikers.

Indianapolis, July 13.—Governor Mount said yesterday that his sympathy is all with the strikers in the present contest between the operators and miners. He is investigating his authority as chief executive to take a hand in the struggle and if he sees his way clear will appoint an investigating commission. The governor's action in that event will depend upon the report of the commission from actual contact with the strikers. The governor's pet aversion is the "pluck me" store.

#### Among the Iowa Mines.

Des Moines, Ia., July 13.—So far no Iowa miners have joined the big strike, but they are likely to do so at any time. There are 5,000 miners in the state, and until coal dealers commenced shipping into Illinois to fill orders where Illinois miners are striking, little attention was paid to the strike, as the Iowa miners are not well organized. In the past when they have struck the operators have shipped coal in from Illinois and defeated them. They can't do this now.

#### Miners All Out at Danville.

Springfield, Ill., July 13.—President J. M. Carson, of the Illinois United Mine Workers, arrived here last night from Danville. The 1,500 miners in the Vermillion field, he stated, were out, and the miners in every shaft in Illinois north of and including Pana were out or had voted to come out. In the Springfield district every shaft will be idle after tonight. "By Saturday," President Carson stated, "every miner in Illinois, we believe, will have joined the strike."

#### Debs Will Consult with Hatchford.

Columbus, O., July 13.—President Hatchford received a telegram last night from Eugene Debs, president of the Social Democracy, stating that he would arrive in this city tomorrow for a conference on the strike situation. President Hatchford also said that he was assured that the Ohio coal roads would increase the rate for the transportation of West Virginia coal. Ohio operators are back of the movement to hold their trade.

#### Prevented the Miners from Working.

Spring Valley, Ill., July 13.—Two hundred Spring Valley miners marched to Marquette yesterday morning, four miles from this city, and prevented the miners of that place from starting to work. Word had arrived here to the effect that Marquette had voted to go to work and mine enough coal to supply the Illinois Zinc company, of Peru, with coal. It was immediately decided by the miners of this city to prevent them.

#### EMINENT MICHIGAN MAN DEAD.

George V. N. Lothrop, Who Was Once Minister to Russia.

Detroit, July 13.—George Van Ness Lothrop, who died in this city yesterday morning as the sequel of prostration a week ago by the heat, was one of the most distinguished men of Michigan and his career was in every way a creditable one. He first entered the Wolverine State when about 12 years of age and began life in the west on a farm owned by his brother in Kalamazoo county. For years he did all the rough work, and laid the foundation of the sturdy constitution, that had carried him through eighty years of hard intellectual labor. Graduating in law, he settled in Detroit in 1843 and rapidly rose to a high position in his profession.

He was never so very conspicuous or prominent in politics, preferring to devote his attention almost entirely to legal work. At one time he ran for congress, but was defeated, and in 1860 led the Michigan delegation to the Charleston national convention, in which he voted for Douglas. He was the principal American diplomat at St. Petersburg during the first Cleveland administration. Mr. Lothrop retired from the practice of law in 1876 and since that time had lived in retirement. He leaves two sons and two daughters living. One of the latter is the wife of Baron Honue, and lives at St. Petersburg.

#### ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

Judge Bailey, of Eau Claire, Wis., has just published a fifty-page pamphlet on what constitutes contempt. It is in reply to an opinion recently handed down by the supreme court of the state.

Arthur Dishnow, of Burlington, Wis., pleaded guilty to being a habitual drunkard and was sentenced to one year at Waupun.

Jacob Raab, a book agent, committed suicide at Jamaica, L. I., Saturday. Next day his wife was informed. When she learned what had happened she leaped for joy.

The statement of the Bank of Spain shows a note circulation of 136,000,000 pesetas in excess of the authorized issue.

Fred Washington, a sign writer, 30 years old, was so frightfully injured in a runaway at Sedalia, Mo., that he died. Washington was born in England, and his great grandfather was a brother of John Washington, the father of George Washington.

A public marriage will be one of the attractions at the Boone county, Ill., fair. The couple to be married will receive hundreds of dollars worth of merchandise contributed by the merchants.

It cost the city of Milwaukee \$9,000 to entertain the National Educational association.

Lightning struck a barn on Matt Udelhoven's place, twelve miles southwest from Lancaster, Wis., and killed his son, a young man of 17 years. The barn was burned.

Charles Treadwell, 12 years old, has been missing from his home at Chicago since yesterday week.

Obituary: At Memphis, Tenn., Colonel C. W. Fraser. At Cincinnati, "Kid" Baldwin, the base ball catcher. At St. Paul, Mrs. Marie Hasenwinkel. At Pittsburgh, John E. Davidson. At Arcola, Ill., Dr. Lucius McAllister, 80.

By a new law, Connecticut riders of bicycles who neglect to use bells on their wheels will be subject to a fine of \$25 or less in each case.

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TRIBE OF BEN HUR, HARBOR COURT  
No. 2, meets alternate Monday nights, beginning April 12.  
E. W. CARLKY, Chief.  
MABEL GEEH, Scribe.

BENTON DIVISION, COURT NO. 1, ORDER of Patriarchs, meets every Friday evening in Modern Woodmen hall.  
JOHN SELFRIDGE, Justice.  
W. H. ANDREWS, clerk.

KNIGHTS OF THE MACCAHBEES, BENTON  
Tent No. 104, meet at Odd Fellows' hall Regular review second and fourth Fridays in each month.  
R. F. CHADDOCK, R. G. W. FALES, Com.

BENTON LODGE NO. 182, I. O. O. F., MEETS every Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in their lodge room opposite the post office. All visiting brothers are cordially invited.  
J. M. JENKINS, N. G.  
GEORGE W. FALES, Secretary.

LADIES OF THE MACCAHBEES, BENTON  
Hive No. 545, meet at Odd Fellows' hall every two weeks Saturday nights, beginning January 9.  
EMMA CANTRELL, Commander.  
MARGARET MURRAY, Record Keeper.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—BANNER  
Camp No. 40 commencing April 30, meet every other Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at A. R. hall on West Main street. Visiting sovereigns will be cordially received.  
JOHN F. GERLING, Consul Commander.  
JOHN F. HARPER, Clerk.

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Leat Camp No. 901 meets every Monday evening at the Woodmen Hall on West Main street. Visiting Woodmen will be cordially entertained.  
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N. G. WENELL, Clerk.

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Home Seekers Excursion.  
On July 19 and 20 the Vandalia line will sell home-seekers excursion tickets to points in the west and southwest at one fare plus two dollars for the round trip. For rates and full information call on or address FRANK R. HALE, agent.

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July 6 and 20, August 3 and 17 and on each preceding day the Vandalia Line will sell round trip excursion tickets to points in the south and southeast at very low rates. For full information call on or address FRANK R. HALE, agent.

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Cincinnati Excursion.  
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THE EVENING NEWS



## ...and Criminals Pay the Penalty of Their Wrong Doing.

### O'BRIEN GETS 4 YEARS.

Edward Brimmer, who swindled Mrs. Camfield, goes to Jackson for three years.

Judge Coolidge this afternoon imposed sentence upon four self-confessed criminals. They were Gaylord Brimmer, larceny; Edward Wilson, larceny; Thomas O'Brien who committed an assault upon Henry Mohler, and Charles Brown, resisting an officer.

Brimmer stole a solid gold watch and chain from Mrs. Caroline Camfield, who lives north of the city a short distance. He was employed by Mrs. Camfield to operate her farm and also acted as her in the capacity of business agent. He was a shrewd, business-like man and his employer considered him a valuable man. June 21 he disappeared and simultaneously the gold watch and chain came up missing. He was captured by Sheriff Ferguson and brought back to Benton Harbor and yesterday with much manifestation of sorrow he pleaded guilty. The court sentenced him to three years at Jackson.

Edward Wilson, who came before the court at the instigation of the Graham & Morton transportation company from whose boat Wilson stole a quantity of butchers' articles, received sentence this afternoon, he having pleaded guilty to the charge of larceny. He will serve 90 days in the county jail.

Thomas O'Brien, the tramp who injured little Henry Mohler into a box in the railway yards here and there committed a most brutal assault upon him, will serve a term of four years in Jackson prison. This was the sentence Judge Coolidge pronounced upon him this afternoon. He is a fiendish looking fellow and his crime merited no consideration of leniency by the court. He pleaded guilty in the circuit court three weeks ago.

Charles Brown, who pleaded guilty to obstructing an officer in the discharge of his duties, was sentenced to 90 days in the county jail.

#### Court House News.

Deputy Sheriff Tennant went to Kalamazoo this morning with Auntoine Wohlrab, who was adjudged insane by the probate court recently.

Henry Mohler, the boy who was so outrageously assaulted by Thomas O'Brien, and has been detained at the county jail until he could get his witness fees, was paid \$8, upon the order of Judge Coolidge, last night and this morning left for his home at Lafayette, Ind.

The circuit court is occupied with the hearing of Norman J. Eldred against Charles H. Godfrey.

County Agent Whitehead went to Lansing this morning in company with Roland Griffith who is sentenced to spend two years in the Industrial School for the larceny of a bicycle.

### \$5,000 DAMAGES

Asked of T. N. Chilson, of Baroda, by Henry Henning.

Henry Henning, the man arrested on complaint of burglarizing the store of Parish & Chilson at Baroda, and who was afterwards discharged on account of insufficient evidence, today by his attorney, James O'Hara, filed the declaration in a suit for \$5,000 damages against Theron N. Chilson, alleging malicious prosecution. The defendant is a member of the firm of Parish & Chilson.

On June 28 last the store of the defendant was forcibly entered and \$5 in money, one razor, three revolvers, two watches, three pocket knives, one watch, two chains and other articles, aggregating \$50 in value, were stolen. Chilson lodged a complaint against Henning in Justice Hendrick's court charging him with the burglary and on June 30 Henning was arrested. He was committed to the county jail in default of bail until July 7, pending examination. At his preliminary hearing before Justice Hendricks he was discharged upon the recommendation of the justice and released from custody. By means of these premises the plaintiff claims he has been greatly injured in credit and reputation and brought into public scandal. He alleges that he expended large sums for counsel to defend him.

### ANOTHER SUCCESS.

It Was Won by the Baker Stock Company.

The clever acting at Conkey's opera house by the Baker Stock company last night was witnessed by a very small audience, but flattering praises are generously bestowed by those in attendance, among whom were the Stricklands. They congratulated Manager Simon over the success he had attained in providing so fine a theatrical attraction and predicted for him a big patronage as soon as the public became aware of the capabilities of the company.

New scenery has been pressed into service and the stage is metamorphosed. The company will remain the entire week and Saturday night will present a \$65 bicycle to the person holding the lucky ticket. Admission is 10 and 20 cents.

Columbia 5 cent cigar

Good music, good show, good time.

Two sign burglars again got their work in at Stevensville, the most notorious village in the county for petty thievery. This time the West Michigan depot was entered by force and two express packages stolen, one containing clothing and the other laundered goods sent from a Grand Rapids laundry.

The burglary was not discovered until this morning despite the fact that the village has a watchman who is supposed to patrol the streets during the night. The case was reported to Sheriff Ferguson who left this afternoon to conduct an investigation.

It is the theory that the work was done by tramps which infest that community in hordes. The citizens there are becoming incensed over the repeated depredations of idle men and threaten to rise up in arms against the irrepressible tramps.

### ST. JOSEPH.

Julius, George and Charles Burkhard and Louis Hosbein, while on a fishing expedition up the St. Joseph river yesterday caught 15 black bass.

The open air concert and social, advertised to occur tonight on the St. Joseph church lawn, has been postponed until next Thursday night on account of the unpleasant weather. At that time THE EVENING NEWS boys' band will be present and provide music for the occasion.

### COURT HOUSE ITEMS.

Eugene W. Cribbs has commenced in the circuit court a suit by summons against Patrick Yore. N. A. Hamilton appears for the plaintiff.

Mrs. Gusta Mitchell, of St. Joseph, has filed a bill for divorce in the circuit court against John J. Mitchell whom she alleges deserted her in August, 1894, and that since that time he has neglected to provide a support. They were married December 3, 1893, by Justice John C. Dick, of Buchanan. Valentine & Ellsworth are solicitors for the complainant.

### BOATS AND SEAMEN.

The steamer City of Duluth arrived last evening and discharged her cargo at the Big Four wareroom.

#### Probate Court.

Estate of George S. Ferguson, deceased. Sylvanus A. Ferguson appointed administrator of said estate.

Estate of Richard J. King, deceased. Petition filed by Hattie Glade, daughter of deceased, for the probate of the will of said deceased and for the appointment of Josephus Fisher and Lewis Glade as executors of said estate.

Estate of Daniel J. Parshall, deceased. Roy Clark appointed administrator of said estate.

Estate of William Burrus, deceased. Petition filed by John Burrus, son of deceased, for the probate of the will of said deceased and for the appointment of himself as executor of said estate. Hearing August 9 at 10 a. m.

### WINDFALLS FOR GAMINS.

Two Lavish Gifts Bestowed on a Pair of Bright Boys.

Quite recently the pretty wife of a prosperous manufacturer was looking into a confectioner's window when a barefooted lad of about 10 coolly walked up to her and placed his rugged arm through hers.

"Excuse this liberty, mum," he said, with comical ceremony, "but I ain't got a mother o' my own, an I feels lonely. Will ye kiss me?"

For a moment the lady was too astonished to speak, but the sight of the dirty face turned so audaciously up to hers drove away her indignation. Much to the amusement of the passers-by she kissed the lad soundly, asked him where he lived and dismissed him with a few coppers. But that was not the end of the little incident, for some weeks after the boy was hunted up by the lady's husband and presented with \$100—"payment for the kiss taken in front of the confectioner's window," the lady said.

A good natured gentleman who is very stout, and on that account does not care to stoop, once dropped his brier pipe in the middle of a busy street. The pipe was a great favorite of his, but he dared not run the risk of bending down, and after gazing regretfully at his fallen treasure he decided to abandon it. Before he could do so, however, a little street arab saw his plight, and, running forward, picked up the pipe and restored it to him.

The gentleman stared at the boy without speaking for awhile, and then pulled a handful of gold out of his pocket.

"Take this, kiddie, and be careful how you spend it," he said. "Mind also that whatever you do with it you are not to spend it on butter scotch, for that's the stuff that made me fat."

He then walked away, leaving the astonished urchin in possession of a windfall amounting to over \$30.—London Telegraph.

For weak lungs and feebleness, Chase's Barley Malt Whiskey is an excellent Tonic. It is absolutely pure, full of nutriment, and builds up the system. John Schairer, Sole agent for Benton Harbor.

### Wenninger & Totzke

Have made arrangements with the well known

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of Chicago, and offer as a premium to our cash trade a \$5.00 calendar, either in color or black and white, for \$5.00.

## ...Take Your Best Girl

And enjoy a pleasant time on the

## - - Moonlight Excursion

Up the St. Joseph River..

## Wednesday Evening, July 14

The Steamer "Tourist" will leave St. Joseph at 7:45 and Benton Harbor at 8:00.

## The Evening News Boys' Band

Will furnish music, which is a guarantee that this excursion will be one of the most delightful pleasure trips of the season.

## Tickets 25c, Round Trip...

Tickets can be obtained at the Y. M. C. A. rooms or of band boys.

## Belding's Bicycle Bargains...

## DO YOU WANT A RELIABLE BICYCLE AT A LOW PRICE?

### ...CALL AND SEE WHAT WE HAVE...

Some wheels for rent and a few second-hand ones for sale CHEAP.

Join the L. A. W. and help get good roads.

## H. E. BELDING

114 W. Main Street.

With M. J. Henderson  
The Repair Man.

## Your attention is called to our full line of Carriages and Wagons

ALL HAND WORK AND WARRANTED

Our wagons have been on the market for years and have established a reputation for quality and finish which is of the best.

## They Prove to be What We Claim for Them BECAUSE

They are Built of Good Material.

They are Strong and Light.

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They are Made by Good Mechanics.

They are Handsomely Finished.

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# THE EVENING NEWS.

SECOND YEAR—NO. 550.

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ONE CENT.

## A LARGE BANKRUPT STOCK OF Fishing Tackle

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**JACKSON'S  
TOY STORE**

Water Street, Benton Harbor, Mich.

Remember that I keep all kinds of hunting, fishing and sporting goods and that I will not be undersold by any dealer in southwestern Michigan. Jointed fishing rods, Mississippi cane poles, Japanese bamboos, all lengths, brass and nickel reels, fish hooks, all kinds and all sizes, small hooks, single and double, casting lines and leaders, bass and trout flies, trolling baits and sinkers, the best linen and silk lines, gaff hooks, trout baskets, fish stringers, fish spears, both new and second hand, gasoline lamps for spearfishing, bait boxes and minnow pails, floats, rod tips and rod mountings, trout lines and fixtures, seine twine, staging and gilling twine, oars and oar locks, base ball bats, Spaulding base balls, professional and amateur, base ball mitts, catchers' masks, base ball bats and caps, croquet sets, extra croquet balls and mallets, boxing gloves, iron and maple dumb bells, foot balls, all kinds and sizes, punching bags, hammocks and hammock fixtures, folding camp chairs and cots, Winchester repeating rifles, all sizes, Quackenbush 22 caliber and other target guns. A second hand Parker shot gun at \$23, 1 second hand Marlin rifle at \$7. Sling shots, billies and knuckles, dog chains, collars and muzzles, sling shot rubbers, primers, snipe, goose and duck tails, loaded and unloaded brass and paper shells, smokeless powder, buck and common shot, B. B. shot for air rifles, Laflin & Rand's shot gun and rifle powder, shot gun shells loaded with smokeless powder, reloading tools for rifles and shot guns; bowie knives and knives for hunters, paper and felt wads, water proof, musket and G. D. caps, game bags and belts for hunters, powder flasks and shot pouches, all kinds of new and second hand revolvers, compasses for hunters. I have 22 new and 7 second hand shot guns on hand, shot gun fixtures, cartridge belts and shell bags, and remember that I keep on hand a large wagon load of all kinds of revolver and rifle cartridges, 44 different sizes of rim and center fire and blanks, B. B. caps for target rifles, all sizes of Iver Johnson revolvers at \$4, all sizes of American bull dogs at \$1.50, 1 Smith & Wesson latest pattern 44 size at \$6, a Colts 45 size at \$6, a Remington 44 size at \$5.

**A large grain sack full of unredeemed WATCHES of all kinds.**

Seventy-five solid gold ring, 6 pieces diamond jewelry at one-half first cost, banjos, guitars, violins and mandolins at one-third first cost. Trading men, look over my watch stock. I can always stock you up with bargains. One Odell typewriter, never used, for \$8. One latest improved Singer sewing machine for \$15. I have dealt in fishing, hunting and sporting goods for 20 years in Benton Harbor. I buy cheaper than any other dealer and I will not be undersold. Second hand goods bought and sold. Second hand books wanted. The highest market price in gold paid for second hand bicycles. Inspection invited.

**CHAS. A. JACKSON**  
Dealer in Almost Everything.

### THE WEATHER.

Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday. Slightly warmer Wednesday.

### FRIGHTENED BY A DOG.

**Canine Prevents a Burglary at Sawyer.**

The general store at Sawyer, owned by B. Hinchman, was entered by burglars Sunday night who were preparing to leave with their booty when a savage watch dog, placed on guard by Mr. Hinchman, put in appearance and frightened the thieves away.

The burglars had a large bundle of groceries and dry goods ready to carry away. The watch dog heard the confusion and set up a startling howl. Mr. Hinchman was awakened by the earnest barking and seizing his revolver he rushed out of the house to the store, which he reached in time to see two men emerge and scurry away in the darkness.

Sheriff Ferguson worked on the case all day yesterday, but thus far he has been unable to find a clew which appears promising. Two tramps were hanging around the village all day Sunday and it is supposed that the work was done by them.

### RACES AT COLOMA.

**Another Meeting Advertised For July 24.**

COLOMA, July 13.—Vegetation will not make any extraordinary strides towards maturity on the Maple Point race track this year. The sportsmen of the village are preparing for another turf event to occur on Saturday, July 24, at which \$110 in purses will be offered to the owners of the fleetest "nags" in the different races. Entries will close Friday evening, July 23.

**Coloma School Meeting.**

COLOMA, July 13.—The annual school meeting of district number one was held on Monday evening in the village high school room. The terms of Charles Arent and Fred Warman, as trustees, expired this year and they were re-elected for another term of three years. The sum of \$2,000 was voted to be raised by tax for the support of the schools during the coming year. This, with the sum remaining in the treasury, will, it is thought, amply provide for the needs of the school.

The district school committee will close the school on August 1st.

## A NEW GOSPEL SONG.

It Was Composed by Rev. Elisha A. Hoffman During the Revival Last Winter.

FIRST APPEARANCE IN PRINT.

The Words at That Time Were Suggested by The Evangelist's Sermon.

In nearly every book of gospel songs now published are hymns and music composed by Rev. Elisha A. Hoffman, pastor of the First Presbyterian church

of this city. The musical productions of Mr. Hoffman rank high and many of his hymns are set to inspired music.

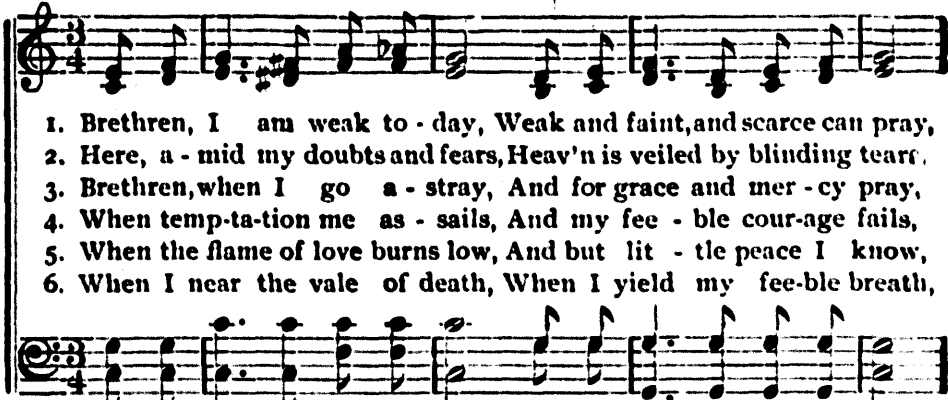
During the evangelistic services conducted by Rev. O. D. Thomas in this city last winter, Mr. Hoffman was observed to be writing very frequently during the preaching of the sermon. It has been disclosed since the meetings that he was making memoranda of hymns and tunes suggested by the words of the evangelist.

Through the kindness of Mr. Hoffman THE EVENING NEWS is today able to present to its readers one of these hymns in completed form. "Brethren, Intercede for Me," is bound to find a popular reception in all religious meetings and in all Christian hearts.

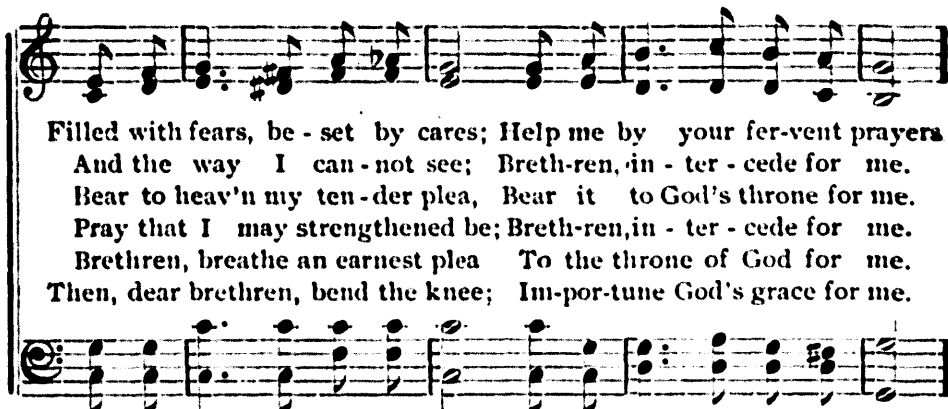
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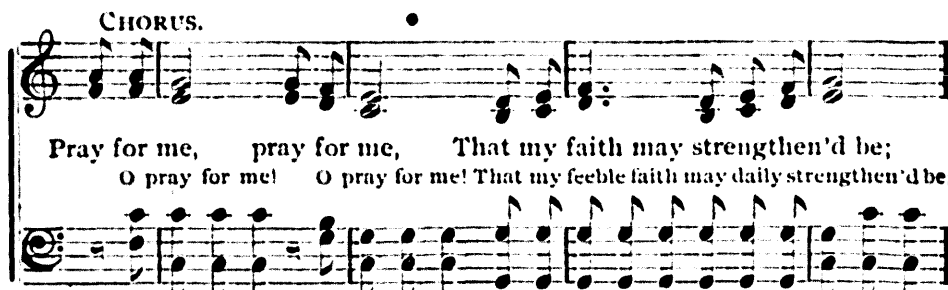
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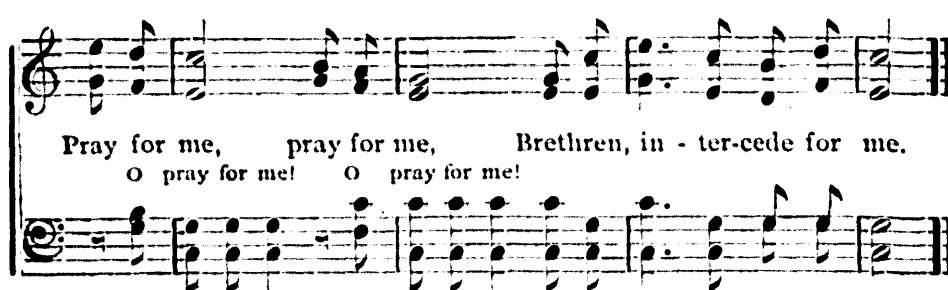
1. Brethren, I am weak to-day, Weak and faint, and scarce can pray,
2. Here, a mid my doubts and fears, Heav'n is veiled by blinding tear.
3. Brethren, when I go a-stray, And for grace and mer-cy pray,
4. When temp-tation me as-sails, And my fee-ble cour-age fails,
5. When the flame of love burns low, And but lit-tle peace I know,
6. When I near the vale of death, When I yield my fee-ble breath,



Filled with fears, be-set by cares; Help me by your fer-vent pray-ers  
And the way I can-not see; Breth-ren, in-ter-cede for me.  
Bear to heav'n my ten-der plea, Bear it to God's throne for me.  
Pray that I may strength-ened be; Breth-ren, in-ter-cede for me.  
Brethren, breathe an earnest plea To the throne of God for me.  
Then, dear brethren, bend the knee; Im-por-tune God's grace for me.



Pray for me, pray for me, That my faith may strength-en'd be;  
O pray for me! O pray for me! That my feeble faith may daily strength-en'd be;



Pray for me, pray for me, Brethren, in-ter-cede for me.  
O pray for me! O pray for me!

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## ASKS \$6,500 DAMAGE.

Old Sidewalk Damage Claim of Mrs. Lydia Kitron About to Be Revived.

ORIGINAL CLAIM WAS \$150.

Now She Wants \$5,000 for Injuries and \$1,500 as a Pain Killer.

Some months ago on Pipestone street near the residence of Edward Brammell where a plank walk meets one built of cement Mrs. Lydia Kitron alleges that she stumbled and received injuries for life. She asked the city for \$150 but the claim was rejected.

The matter will come up before the next meeting of the council. Mrs. Kitron will now ask for \$1,500 to compensate for the pain and anguish she has suffered and in addition \$5,000 for permanent injuries which she alleges to have received.

Mrs. Kitron has engaged the services of Nelson DeLong to look after her interests.

### TO STEVENSVILLE.

The Twin City Telephone Line is Now Open.

Stevensville was put in telephonic communication with Benton Harbor yesterday by the Twin City Telephone company. The phones at this distance worked perfectly and the new line is a great success.

### IN THE CRIMINAL COURT.

Robert Buchanan paid a fine of \$1 and \$2.45 costs in Justice Cady's court this morning. He got drunk.

Charles Brown, charged with obstructing an officer in discharge of his duty, was arraigned yesterday afternoon. He pleaded guilty.

Have you tried Moore's Pro-Pain-Ex-Poser?

### WENT WITHOUT DINNER.

Prof. E. A. Wilson Not a Very Good Sailor.

Dated St. Ignace July 12, Prof. Wilson who is with the state board of education, writes to THE NEWS:

"Arrived here this morning. Am wearing an overcoat and straw hat, but contrast is the style you know. I go north from here this morning. It was a little rough on the boat yesterday, at least I did not go to dinner anyway. All right today."

### BIG CANNING BUSINESS.

C. H. Godfrey & Co. Have Put up 800 Cases of Berries.

C. H. Godfrey & Co. have canned 800 cases of strawberries and gooseberries which make 8,700 two-pound cans of berries.

Mr. Godfrey is encouraged over the demand for canned fruit. He has orders for the goods already put up and he has orders for eight tons of dried fruit and several hundred cans of raspberries. Mr. Godfrey will be in the market for 6,000 cases of raspberries.

### HOW THE FINE WAS PAID.

A Student of the College Benefitted By Friends.

An impressive illustration of the close friendship of the students at the Benton Harbor college occurred recently in Justice Cady's court when one of the students was fined for riding a bicycle at night without a lamp. A few of the students implored of the justice that he dismiss the case, as the offender was a poor boy who was working his way through school and could not afford to pay the fine and costs of the case.

The justice was not disposed to establish a precedent from which he must ever after suffer annoyance, but his sympathy was moved and he offered to assist with a liberal contribution to a fund raised by the students to pay the penalty of the unfortunate offender. This was satisfactory and each produced the required donation and the fine was paid. The gratitude expressed by the offending student compensated for the fine.

Life is but a song  
Sing it as you will  
Sing it high or sing it low,  
'Tis but a song still.

**I OFFER THIS WEEK  
200 pairs Tapestry Curtains,  
worth \$5.00, reduced to \$3.69  
Special Sale on Hammocks.**

**...BABY CARRIAGES MUST GO AT REDUCED PRICES...**

Sewing Machines \$15.00, warranted 10 years.

**...TERMS CASH...**

**C. C. SWEET**

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## E. W. MOORE & CO.

**Are the Bargain Leaders All the Time.**

Our Special Sales every day are public money savers. We have goods and prices to prove it.

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 14**

One lot ladies' Jersey vests, white cream, no sleeves, lisle finish, best 25c and 35c goods, to close at 19c each.  
One lot ladies' Jersey vests, short sleeves or no sleeves, white or cream, lisle thread, best 50c goods, to close at 31c.  
One lot black serge top umbrellas, fancy whole sticks, silver tipped, going at 65c.  
One lot silk ribbons, Nos. 5, 7 and 9 at 5c a yd.  
One lot silk ribbons, Nos. 12, 16, 22 and 40 at 13c a yd.

### ...GROCERY BARGAINS...

Spring Wheat Flour, \$4.00 per bbl.

Fine Shredded Coconut, 18c lb.  
Fine ground black pepper, 14c lb.  
Colo. Rio Coffee, 2 lbs. for 25c.  
5 lbs. Good Rice for 25c.  
Micado Tea Tips, 19c a lb.  
Crushed Java Coffee at 10c lb.

Javaness coffee at 15c pkg.  
10 bars Calumet soap for 25c.  
Bulk Starch, 3c a lb.  
Pound can choice Baking Powder, 8c.  
XXXX coffee at 15c.

Armour's family bacon, 8c lb.

Armour's family lard, 5c a lb.

XXXX coffee at 15c.

Best prices paid for butter and eggs.

**Ladies' or Gents' Bicycles at \$29. Guaranteed for 1 year.**

## The Benton Harbor Meat and Provision House..

Is located at the corner of Pipestone and Pleasant streets where you can buy the finest assortment of

**Meats, Poultry, Spring Lamb,  
Spring Chicken, Fresh Fish, etc**

If you are troubled with tough or stale meats give us a trial. Our facilities for keeping meats this hot weather are the very best. Our reduced prices on Saturdays makes our market a busy place.

Yours to please,

**J. J. MILLER...**

Corner Pipestone and Pleasant Streets.

## "The Garden of Eden"

They tell us, was the ideal spot of all the earth at one time, and yet two resorters were all it ever had. Shall we not conclude then that this locality, visited as it is by increasing thousands every year, must have advantages greater than any other recorded on the pages of history?

If this is true, show your appreciation and gratitude by making your company comfortable with

**GOOD MATTRESSES,  
SPRINGS, COTS,  
BEDS, COUCHES,  
HAMMOCKS,  
LAWN SETTEES,  
PORCH ROCKERS,  
AND CAMP CHAIRS**

And we will show ours by giving you the best goods for the money of any of the contemporary furniture men of our time.

**C. J. PECK**



## The Barber Kept on Shaving..



the prices off our Carpets and beginning Monday, June 14, we will place on sale all of our

# Carpets and Mattings...

At Greatly Reduced Prices..

We will sell the best Extra Super Ingrain Carpet at 45c, regular 60c quality. Other Ingrains at 45c, 37 1-2c, 30c and 20c. Berber Mattings at 9c, 11c, 14c and 20c. Everything included in this sale are guaranteed to be this year's stuff in new designs. No old designs which can be bought for a song, but extra good values.

**...JAMES POUND**

## DO YOU WANT TO TRADE FOR CHICAGO PROPERTY IF SO COME AND SEE US.

Insurance ..

Loans ..

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### Railway and Steamship Tickets

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114 Water St

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OFFICE HOURS: 7 a. m. to 9 p. m.

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Will leave St. Joseph Daily 9 a. m., 2 & 4:30 p. m.

Will leave Benton Harbor, daily, 9:15 a. m.


For up the Beautiful River St. Joe, stopping at all resorts and Yellow Creek.

**FARE 25c ROUND TRIP.**

This steamer can also be Chartered for Evening Excursions

**DRAKE & WALLACE, Proprietors.**

KEEP YOUR BOWELS STRONG ALL SUMMER!



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## SUGAR AND WOOL.

### Continue to Give the Tariff Constructors Trouble.

### CONFERRERS NOT YET AGREEING.

Minor Differences Are Easy, but the Real Work Is All Yet To Be Done—Democratic Senators Threaten Trouble If Any Change Is Made in White Pine or Cotton Ties, Etc.—Morgan Makes the Pacific Railroad Case.

Washington, July 13.—The tariff conference committee is meeting with its greatest difficulty in reaching an understanding on the wool and sugar schedules. On sugar Aldrich and Jones of Nevada are holding out especially for the senate schedule, and are supported by the entire senate representation. The house is just as firm in its demand for the house rates. The indications when the conference adjourned last night were that a compromise would be necessary which would split the difference between the two houses on the differential on refined sugar, and it was stated upon party authority that an agreement to this effect had been reached. The house conferees are standing stiffly for the house schedule on wool, contending that the senate rates would be most oppressive upon manufacturers. There is a proposition to compromise the differences by retaining the senate classification, but allowing a drawback on all wools which it can be proven are used in carpet making.

Likely To Be Trouble Over These.

There was quite a movement on the Democratic side of the senate yesterday to insure a firm stand for free burials, cotton-bagging, floor matting, cotton ties, etc., placed on the free list in the senate, and to hold white pine at \$1 per 1,000 feet. This was because of the report, which was authenticated, that the committee had tentatively agreed to restore the \$2 rate on white pine and to restore the other articles mentioned to the dutiable list. These changes were made in the senate by majorities ranging from 1 to 5 votes, and the supporters of the senate action expressed the opinion that they would be able to hold all the votes for a motion to reject the conference report that were originally cast for the amendments. To do this they would have to make sure not only of McEnery's vote but of some Republican votes, as Carter and Hansbrough. The problem bids fair to develop an interesting situation in the senate if the committee on conference adheres to its present determination with regard to these articles.

Agree on No Important Matter.

In fact, as things are now, it appears that the conferees are away apart on all matters of importance. The minor matters were easily adjusted, but on all important features there has been no agreement, and the outlook is that several reports will have to be made before an adjustment can be reached. The house conferees are standing solidly by their bill, and the senate conferees are no less tenacious. The senate conferees have laid before the house members the condition in the senate, where there is no actual majority of the Republicans, and where other than Republican votes are necessary to pass the bill or adopt a conference report. The more important features of the bill are not settled, and can hardly be said to be in the way of settlement at this time.

### PACIFIC RAILWAY AFFAIRS.

Senate with Morgan's Help Finds Something to Talk About.

Washington, July 13.—A discussion of Union Pacific railroad affairs occupied the attention of the senate yesterday. The deficiency appropriation bill was taken up early in the day and Morgan proposed an amendment designed to prevent the consummation of an agreement made some time since for the settlement of the government's claims against the road. Morgan spoke throughout the day, severely arraigning the Pacific railroad managers. Later the entire subject was disposed of by the withdrawal of the paragraph to which Morgan had offered his amendment. The deficiency appropriation bill was not completed up to the time of adjournment.

Morgan's amendment was that no part of the sinking fund of the Union Pacific Railroad company held in the treasury of the United States shall be used in pursuance of any agreement between the president of the United States or any officer of the United States and Louis Fitzgerald, chairman of the reorganization committee of the Union Pacific Railroad company, or any other company or corporation. Morgan spoke at length in support of the amendment, saying that the pending agreement between the executive branch of the government and the Union Pacific reorganization committee was flagrant disregard of law, amounting to robbery, which when fully understood would cause amazement among the American people. At one stage of his remarks Morgan referred to the house not being in session today, and was reminded by Gear that the house would be in session today.

"I am delighted to hear that congress will not be running on one wheel," proceeded Morgan, "and I invite the attention of the house to the fact that by adopting this amendment it can save \$30,000,000 to the government which otherwise the government will be robbed of. These are strong words, but I use them knowing what they mean. Let congress adjourn without taking hold of this transaction and the United States government will lose \$30,000,000 and the people will lose God knows how much in the future." Morgan severely criticized the plea will lose God knows how much in the future.

Morgan made an extended legal argument to show that the Union Pacific railroad property could not be sold without the consent of congress. Thurston took exception to Morgan's claim that the government's lien was not confined to the aided portion of the road, but embraced all its property whether aided or not. Thurston contended that the United States supreme court had held the lien of the government to extend only to the aided portion of the road.

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**WANTED—AGENT FOR MERRIEN CO.** on renewal contract. References required. Address Manager Home Mutual Life Insurance Co. 45 Home Bank Bldg. Detroit, Mich. 5537.

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**WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL** housework. Inquire of Mrs. F. J. Soule, 115 Heck Court. 6150.

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**LOST—A BREADSTIFF, BETWEEN E. L. GUY'S** Colfax avenue and Allen Brunson's, Pipe stone street, also a ladder taken from Allen Brunson's yard. Return to Allen Brunson's 155 Pipestone street. 6159.

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**FOR SALE—FARM OF 31 ACRES** situated 2 1/2 miles from city. On Watervliet road. Well improved. Address A. H. Calkins, Benton Harbor. 54820.

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**FOR SALE—ALL VARIETIES OF VEGETABLE** plants including cabbages, tomatoes, sweet potatoes, peppers, cauliflower, melons, tobacco and celery, also flowering plants. These plants may be found on sale at Herr Bros. Calkins and C. J. Brown's. Call at house and get prices. Mrs. J. W. Doty, Pipestone street, first house west of car barn. 502-17.

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## A 10 DAYS COURTSHIP

It Results In the Romantic Marriage of W. H. Dix and Miss Maud Haynes.

### GROOM IS WELL KNOWN HERE

He is the Son of the Auditor General—It Was a Case of Love at First Sight.

MASON, July 13.—W. H. Dix, son of Auditor-General Dix, and Miss Maud Haynes, of Dundee, were quietly married in this city. They drove from Lansing in the sweltering heat, and all whom they met they asked to keep the wedding quiet.

County Clerk Gunn said the couple were dressed in everyday summer apparel and that the groom needed a shave. He promised not to publish the license, and directed the couple to go to the house of a Baptist minister, who performed the ceremony.

At the Hotel Donnelly they registered as "W. H. Dix and Miss Maud Haynes." After the sun went down they hid themselves back to Lansing.

LANSING, July 13.—Auditor-General Dix has just learned of the wedding and he says he has no objection to the match, but would have liked an opportunity to attend the wedding.

Both of the young people are highly respected. Dix is about 25, the bride about 20. Mrs. Dix came here recently to visit relatives. She had known Dix but 10 days. She is a daughter of Dr. J. B. Haynes, a prominent Dundee physician.

No reason other than love of romance is given for the quiet wedding.

The groom is known here and at St. Joseph by all the young society people. Before his father got the office of auditor general and was occupied in the abstract office of Dix & Wilkinson, young Dix spent considerable of his time in St. Joseph. He is a clever young man and had the hearts of a dozen maidens fluttering at the same time.

### PLANS OF THE PATTERSONS.

Their Railroad Thoughts Unfolded to Paw Paw.

A Paw Paw dispatch says: G. E. Drew of St. Joseph, and F. B. Murdock of Berrien Springs have been in the village since Monday, and have completed a survey of the new line which will bring the S. H. & E. railroad line into the village. On Wednesday evening an impromptu meeting was held at the council rooms, but on account of the very limited notice not a large audience was present.

A letter signed by D. H. Patterson of Benton Harbor was read. Patterson and his associates want a right of way and \$10,000 in five per cent bonds issued by the township of Paw Paw.

Mr. Patterson said that he hoped to be able to very soon extend the road east from Paw Paw to Kalamazoo and Battle Creek, although he did not care to include this in the proposition at this time. The road as contemplated would be run in connection with what is known as the St. Jo. Valley road which extends from Benton Harbor to some point in Indiana, the two being connected by an extension of the S. H. & E. from Hartford to Benton Harbor.

#### Advertised Letters.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in this office for the week ending July 13, 1897:

Beedow, Mr. M.	Keal, Walter C.
Buon, Mrs. Bert	King, Mr. Henry
Birthen, Mr. Bert	Mason, Mrs. Jac.
Church, Mr. Frank	Mosoman, J. V.
Cornell, Mr. Frank	Morger, Mrs.
Cogun, Mr. John	Moor, Mr. Billy
Carpenter, Miss Alma	Morris, Nettie
Carus, Lilly	Nelson, Nels.
Claw-on, Mrs. Cora	Omweg, Eld. J. R.
Drake, Frank	Russell, Miss Cecil A.
Dobbin, Mr. W. M.	Stevens, Chas.
Eldred, Elmer	Sumules, Mrs. M. H.
Frazer, Russell	Souls, Chas. A.
Forbes, Elizabeth	Sorley, Mr. William
Firestone, Harvey	Snyder, A. R.
Frey, Mr. Fred	Soley, Mr. Stephen
Granite, Mr. Frank	Tennel, Master Thea
Harbaugh, Miss Ella	William, Natand (dore
Hodson, Mr. Elford	Wheeler, Mrs. Emily 2
Hodge, Miss Violet	Wood, Miss D. L.
Hure, Mr. Mat	Warner, Mr. E.
Loane, Mr. John	Wessel, Mr. William
Listz, Mr. August	Walton, Ed.
Lee, B. P.	Whitney, Albert
Lee, Mr. Clarence	Wegner, F. A.

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Good order, good music, good associates, at the summer garden. 532tf

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### RECEPTION PLANNED.

But Benton Harbor Not Present to Be Received.

The Holland Daily Sentinel of Monday says: "The steamer City of Louisville with its Benton Harbor excursion, failed to arrive at the Holland resorts yesterday. The Holland city band accompanied the music to the park to give the Benton Harbor band an appropriate reception but found their kindness wasted."

Weather permitting the Benton Harbor excursionists will go next Sunday.

### NEW HARDWARE DEALER.

M. V. Cheesman Takes Possession of the Anderson Stock.

The business of the Benton Harbor hardware company has again changed hands. Yesterday the stock passed from the possession of George Anderson and became the property of M. V. Cheesman, who has been extensively engaged in the building business in this city, and has also been connected with various mercantile pursuits.

Possession was taken yesterday. Mr. Anderson will remain in the store under the employ of Mr. Cheesman who will continue his building operations in connection with the hardware business.

The new proprietor will increase the stock and add several new lines as the business demands.

"Charlie," the barber, who has his shop in the basement of THE NEWS building is an artist in his line. He invites everybody to call. Send your children to him and he will cut their hair in the most approved style.

### NEWS OF THE STATE.

The degree of A. M. was recently conferred upon Rev. C. DeWitt Brower of South Haven, by Oberlin college.

Lansing Republican: Senator George W. Merriam of Hartford, the very center of the southwestern Michigan peach belt, says he recently made a trip through his orchards, that under ordinary circumstances should bear hundreds of bushels of the fruit, says if he gets enough for table use in his own

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family he will consider himself in great luck. The reports from the entire Michigan peach belt are about of the same character and the indications are now that peaches and cream will be as scarce in this neck o' woods as a breath of fresh air was last Friday.

Congressman Hamilton has secured the following pensions: William Herbert, Plainwell, Allegan county, \$3; Mrs. Adeli A. Eastman, Bangor, Van Buren county, \$8 from July, 1890; Charles H. Hitchcock, Lawton, Montcalm county, \$12.

Chris Allison has resigned as postmaster at Cassopolis and several good republicans are willing to take the job.

A steamer ran up the St. Joseph river the other day as far as Constantine, and was quite a curiosity to the people along the shore, as it was the first steamer which has ascended the river that far in forty years.

We have just received a fine line of solid gold and gold filled spectacles. We will fit them to your eyes and sell them at one-half the regular price. Call and see them at C.R. Hollis & Son's, the boss jewelers. 536t26

Do your cooking with a gas stove and avoid all dust or dirt. t511

See the best door stop made at the News office. E. H. Kelley, agent

### A HORDE OF PHYSICIANS.

Registering in This County to Escape a Contemplated Law.

The possibility of a law being enacted by the Michigan legislature requiring new physicians to pass an examination before a state board of medical men appointed for that purpose has had the effect of increasing the registration of physicians with the county clerk of this county.

Not a day passes but that from one to a half dozen physicians register in this county. The majority of them are physicians who have practiced for years and live in Illinois and Indiana. A bill providing for the institution of a board of medical examiners was defeated at the late session of the legislature and there is a possibility of its coming up again and of its becoming a law.

The inconvenience of a Chicago physician who secures a case in this state in being compelled to take an examination before he can treat a patient here has lead them to great exertion in getting their names on the list of practicing physicians in this county.

### BLOOD WON.

Fair Anna Was a Deacon's Niece, but She Enjoyed the Race.

One of these men who came in from the country and has climbed from the bottom of the ladder to the top likes to tell a story on his wife, whose second beauty is crowned by a mass of silken hair as white as cotton.

"We both lived on a farm then," he says. "Anna was an orphan and brought up by a strict old uncle, who was a deacon. She was pretty and bright, but so prim and straitlaced that she would sanction nothing to which the deacon himself objected, and no old Covenanters ever drew the lines more closely than he did."

"Next to Anna my affections were centered on a colt that was good to look at and developed a wonderful speed and gameness that spoke of aristocratic descent. I told this to no one but Anna, and it was with great difficulty that I induced her to ride one Sunday with me to a camp meeting behind a real trotter."

"Going to the meeting I regulated the colt's pace to suit the day and the occasion, and he was as sedate as the deacon himself. The only girl of the neighborhood who pretended to rival Anna in beauty was there with a young fellow who prided himself on having the fastest horses in the county. Toward sundown she told Anna that we had better start home early. They would require much less time and would probably pass us on the way. That made me mad and I thought I detected an unwonted fire in her eyes. We were jogging homeward as decorously as we had gone, talking solemnly as we should, when there was a rush past us, a cloud of dust and a mocking laugh that bade us 'goodby.' My colt was prancing and pulling like a tugboat. I was bound to please my girl, grinding as it was."

"Let 'er go!" came between her red lips and white set teeth just as a girl of the period would say 'Let 'er go, Gallagher.'

"That was enough. Fences and trees flew the other way. Blood told, and the colt seemed on wings. When we were nose and nose, Anna was so excited that she wanted to take the reins for fear I couldn't win the Sunday race. But the gallant colt shot us through ahead. It wasn't long till Anna wore a little jewelry and tolerated cards to the extent of playing 'old maid.'"—St. Louis Republic.

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TWIN CITY TELEPHONE 172.

TUESDAY, JULY 13, 1897.

PROSPERITY.

There is no word more dear to the American heart. It means that he who now has no home may earn one. Prosperity means happiness. It will put food in the empty stomach and good clothes on the ragged back and surround everyone with comfort and content.

In these days so much has been said about the return of prosperity and so many false promises have been made that people almost wonder if the hoped-for will ever come. If only the election were settled prosperity would appear. Election passed and yet prosperity kept in its secret hiding. The same promise concerning the inauguration was made and failed. And now the hope is held aloft that when the new tariff bill comes into effect prosperity will dawn like the dawning of the morning, throwing aside before its rays of light the dark curtain of commercial despair.

Much sorrow is brought by placing trust in the promises of politicians. The hope of brighter days is deferred and the heart is sick. It is making a bad matter worse by keeping up a continual program of lying about the approach of something which everybody knows is not visibly approaching.

Prosperity will come in time; it will come gradually and not with any miraculous manifestation. The clouds will not open to let it down nor the waters of the deep throw it to the surface. Make the best of your opportunities today and tomorrow you may feel the touch of prosperity's magic fingers.

In the meantime, remember that the false prophets of the ancient church are the politicians of today.

THE operators of the coal mines like George M. Pullman, declare that they have nothing to arbitrate. The miners are willing to submit their claims to a board of arbitrators. The public will decide between the two and decide in favor of the miners.

**Presentation at Court.**  
A morning journal much given to romancing announces that "the precautions taken by the lord chamberlain to preclude the possibility of any one appearing at a drawing room whose past will not bear the closest scrutiny are yearly becoming more rigorous." This is a farrago of the purest fiction. As a matter of fact, the lord chamberlain takes no "precautions" whatever, and it is difficult to conceive how this official could possibly investigate the antecedents of the hordes of nonentities who now go to court unless he were provided with a large staff of detectives. All the responsibility of a presentation is now thrown upon the (presumably) "unimpeachable female" who undertakes it.

If an "improper person" is presented, the immediate result is the arrival of a school of anonymous letters at the lord chamberlain's office. The lady who has made the presentation is then communicated with, and if the ultimate result is unsatisfactory, she is punished by being herself excluded from court for a year or two, or if it is a bad case, she receives sentence of permanent banishment. Moreover, if a lady on the state ball or concert invitation list has been so indiscreet as to make an undesirable presentation, her name is struck off forever. It is only in very aggravated cases that presentations are publicly canceled in The Gazette. The usual course is for the lord chamberlain to inform the offender that her presentation took place "by mistake," and that she is to consider it as canceled. Episodes of this description are of frequent occurrence, but they are kept as secret as possible for obvious reasons.—London Truth.

**How's This?**  
We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO. Props., Toledo, O.

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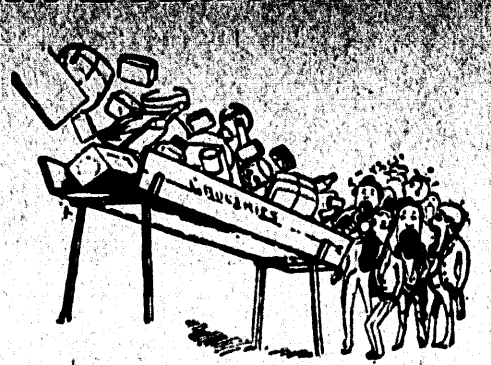
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Hall's Family Pills are the best.

The Benton Harbor hardware company will save you money this week.

**Notice to Water Takers.**  
All persons using city water for lawn sprinkling are required to pay for the same at once (unless they have already done so), or they will be liable to have their water supply shut off. Water is for all other purposes for the year ending Dec. 31, 1897, are now due and should be paid without delay. All persons are cautioned against violating the rules for lawn sprinkling. The city will make it his special duty to see that no person sprinkling



That's a fact. Our groceries are more than good enough to be eaten. Anything that is good enough to be eaten must be first-class. It's a hundred to one that if we carry it it's gilded. That's our rule, and we never deviate from it by a hair. It's our high grade goods that win us the table, our low prices that are the housekeepers' joy—the fatteners of pocketbooks.

Do You Want a Set of Dishes?

We have the right kind at the right price. We carry the largest stock, the finest and most up-to-date dishes in the city. We import our Crockery direct, buy in large quantities, are satisfied with small profits and are here to please. Note a few of our prices

100 piece dinner sets,	from \$5.00 to \$16.00
Chamber sets,	from \$1.50 to \$9.00
56 piece tea sets,	from \$3.50 to \$4.50
4 piece glass sets,	from 25c to 75c
7 piece berry sets,	25c
Water sets,	from 50c to \$2.00
A full line of Delft ware	10c apiece.

Fancy cups and saucers, vases, water bottles, cut glass, cuspidores, lamps, individual sugars and creams, etc., at prices that will surprise you. If you want good clean groceries at low prices give us a call. If you want slop and dirt, don't.

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We have included in this sale many designs and colorings, suitable for Waists, worth \$1 to \$1.25 a yd. They will last but a few days at the extraordinary low price of

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It knocks a cold in one night. Ask for Nox-Kold at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price 25 cents.

Pro Patria, a gentleman's smoke; 10 cigar for 5c. Beware of imitations. See that your cigar is stamped Pro Patria. Geo. Moebis & Co., manufacturers, Detroit.

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**Detroit Excursions.**  
July 5, 6, 12 and 13 the Vandalia line will sell tickets to Detroit, Mich., and return at one fare for the round trip, account meeting of Young People's Christian union, and meeting of the National Republican league of the United States. For full information call on or address  
FRANK R. HALE, agent.

Smoke Columbia 5 cent cigar.

You are as safe to take your wife to the summer garden as to a neighbor's parlor.

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**Eastman Springs Water.**  
Lamb & Ayers are now delivering Eastman Springs water anywhere in the two cities. Leave orders with F. S. Hopkins, druggist, or Michael & Beeny, grocers.

George W. Grant, Coloma, sells the Katie Putnam cigar. 502128

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Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "New South American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by G. M. Hall & Co., 145 Main street, Benton Harbor, Mich.

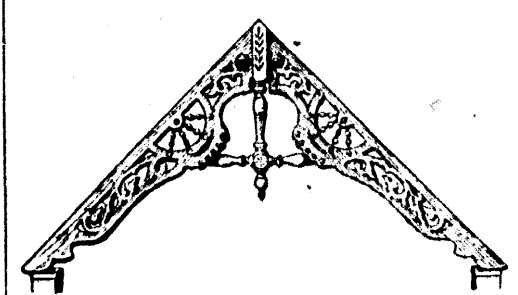
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Moonlight ..Excursion  
Up the St. Joseph River

The Young Men's Christian Association will run a moonlight excursion up the St. Joseph river

Wednesday Evening  
July 14..

EXCURSION BY THE  
Elegant Steamer "Tourist"

Leave St. Joseph at 7:45 and Benton Harbor at 8 o'clock.

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Fare for the Round Trip, 25 Cents  
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## LOCAL BREVITIES.

MOONLIGHT excursion of the Y. M. C. A. up the St. Joseph river tomorrow night.

PUTERBAUGH & Rapp are offering a silk bargain, worth \$1 to \$1.25, at the low price of 49c a yd.

ON account of the weather last evening the Universalist excursion to Chicago was postponed for one week.

R. A. WHITEHEAD has secured the principalship of the Manistee high school at a salary of \$1,100 per year.

COLONEL Foeltzer will not follow the example of Colonel Pope and make a 25 per cent reduction in the price of his bicycles.

H. ARMSTRONG, 139 Niles avenue, has been appointed agent for south-western Michigan for the Shepp publishing company of Philadelphia.

A JACKSON newspaper correspondent declares that "Prof." Gleason who made the balloon ascension here is only a chimney sweep when he is at home.

THE W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. D. Hunt, 120 East Main street, at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The quarterly reports of department superintendents will be read.

THE Baker stock company will play for the benefit of the EVENING NEWS band on Thursday and Friday evenings. The boys of the band want uniforms and this is a fine opportunity to help them.

THE Ladies Guild of the Episcopal church desire to express their gratitude to the members of THE EVENING NEWS Boys band for the selections rendered by them in front of Conkey's opera house Saturday evening on the occasion of the X Ray exhibition.

THE Alger Guards have been invited to attend the inspection by Assistant Secretary of the Navy Roosevelt of the Chicago and Mississippi river divisions of the Illinois Naval Reserve. Monday, July 19. It is expected that Captain Graves and others of the officers of the guards will accept the invitation.

THE Methodist people with great reluctance give up the trees which formerly gave shade to the church yard.

HEALTH MEANS a perfect condition of the whole system. Pure blood is essential to perfect health. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes pure blood and thus gives health and happiness.

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## PERSONAL MENTION.

—Mrs. Pearce, of Boston, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles Morris, McAllister avenue.

—Alderman Volheim and City Attorney Ellsworth spent Sunday at Paw Paw lake, the guests of Captain Feltus.

—Burridge Butler and wife of Chicago, spent Sunday with Mr. Butler's grandmother, Mrs. F. H. Christopher, Columbus avenue.

—Dr. Freemyer returned from South Bend this morning. The doctor says that he noticed along the way that the apple and peach crops will be very light.

—Attorney F. H. Ellsworth and Postmaster Huntington went to Detroit last night as delegates to the convention of the national league of republican clubs.

### Excursion to Chicago Postponed.

The Universalist ladies will give their dollar excursion to Chicago next Monday night, July 19, returning Tuesday night, July 20, giving all day Tuesday in the city of Chicago. One dollar for the round trip. Tickets on sale at L. T. Burridge's shoe store, S. M. Austin's restaurant and at the hotel offices in St. Joseph and Benton Harbor.

### Nate Gifford's hack makes all trains

We have just received a fine line of solid gold and gold filled spectacles. We will fit them to your eyes and sell them at one-half the regular price. Call and see them at C.R. Hollis & Son's, the boss jewelers. 536t26

Do your cooking with a gas stove and avoid all dust or dirt. t511

### Mrs. Stevenson Goes to Europe.

Bloomington, Ills., July 13.—Mrs. Adial E. Stevenson departed Sunday for New York. She will sail on the St. Louis today for Southampton and go to London to join her husband. She will remain until the close of the labors of the bimetallic commission, of which her husband, the former vice president, is a member.

### Gov. Tanner Goes to Detroit.

Springfield, Ills., July 13.—A delegation headed by Governor Tanner, chairman of the state delegation, and Secretary of State Rose, left last night for Detroit to attend the annual convention of the National Republican League.

### Quentin Banderas Is Dead.

Havana, July 13. — Reports from Sancti Spiritus confirm the rumor that General Quentin Banderas, who commanded the insurgents in the engagement on July 5 at Papaya Heights, was killed during the fighting.

The Chicago restaurant sells the "G. & M." cigar. 26t542

The Forler House at Niles sells the "G. & M." and "Extra Quality" cigars. 26t542

W. A. Baker, druggist, Eau Claire, sells Katie Putnam cigars. 24t546

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Dimity checks at 8c, worth 12c.  
Valois lace at 10c, worth 15c.  
Mimosa organdies at 14c, worth 20c.  
Gaze cardonnet organdies at 14c, worth 20c.  
Estamine Royale at 15c, cheap at 22c.  
Fancy striped organdies at 16c, worth 25c.  
Fancy rainbow mulls at 15c, cheap at 25c.  
Lappet mulls at 14c, cheap at 25c.  
Embroidered lace organdies at 20c, a bargain at 30c.  
Fine French organdies at 25c, cheap at 35c.  
36 in. French cambric at 10c, regular price 14c.  
French Gingham at 8c, regular price 12½c.  
Best apron gingham at 4c and 5c.  
Best dress gingham at 5c.  
28 in. percale at 7c.  
34 in. percale at 8c.  
French duck suiting at 12c.  
Irish crash suitings at 15c.  
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100 pieces best standard prints at 4c.

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Manager of a Pyrotechnic Show Who Wants to Disappoint His Audience—A Monument Which Proves That His Efforts Were Appreciated.

"I always strive to please," remarked the dramatic editor, as he scratched the words "big thing" out of the advance notice he was writing and substituted "megatherian aggregation."

"Thank, I am sure," said the advance agent, as he read over the ten lines the dramatic critic was giving to him, and carefully put back into his pocket the half column notice he had just drawn on the d. c.

"I presume," smiled the d. c., "that you always strive to please, too, don't you?"

"Not always"—in a semidisappointed tone—"but I used to have a friend who did. He really was the most self denying chap I ever saw, and what he wouldn't do to please an audience wasn't worth doing."

"Where is he now?"

"Dead."

"Dead?"

"Yes, it killed him. It was this way: He was in the pyrotechnic branch of the dramatic art and used to give shows as one of those imitation Coney Islands to be found on nearly every sand bar in nearly every river tributary to the Mississippi. He had been the originator of the fireworks feature at this place, and his phenomenal success had made him so proud that he would sooner have died than had a failure. One Fourth of July he was going to give the grandest display of his life, and the feature in the biggest letters on the bill was a set piece, 100 feet high, with an enormous balloon loaded with fireworks to go up from the top as a grand finale. There were ten times as many people there that night as there had ever been, and my friend was feeling so good you could see it in his walk.

"Everybody was on edge, too, for the grand blaze of glory the management had been advertising for weeks, and when, promptly at the hour of 10 o'clock, my friend stepped forth like a peacock to set off the great display with his own hand there was a round of applause, followed by a dead silence as the audience sat breathless watching for the burst of blazing glory. But somehow it didn't burst. The professor fired the train and retreated to a safe place, but the powder wouldn't burn. It fizzled and went out instead. Once, twice, thrice, it fizzled, sputtered and went out, and then the crowd began to growl and guy, as crowds always will, and the professor began to get wild.

"Several other attempts to set the piece off were no more successful, and at last, with a smothered scream of crazy rage, he shot up the ladder of the tower to its very top, where he had a platform stored with all sorts of inflammable and explosive things arranged to go off at the proper time. He stood there a moment silhouetted against the sky, the crowd indulging in gibes and jeers, with now and then a threat as to what he might expect if he would only come down to the ground. This was his time to show what he could do to please his audience, and in a minute, and before anybody had any idea what he would do next, he caught up an armful of the explosives about him, fastened them to his clothes and hung wreaths and rings over his neck and shoulders, and, setting the whole thing afire, he swung out into the air in the balloon, which was already tugging at its anchor.

"As the balloon shot up it was a terrific sight, and the poor devil's shrieks added to the intensity of the scene, already lurid with red and blue lights, while the air was filled with all manner of bursting bombs and crashing explosives. Women fainted, men ran helplessly about shouting, and still the balloon swept upward with its fiery freight and passenger, until, when it had reached a point 1,000 feet above the earth, it caught fire and the whole burning mass shot like a blazing ball straight to the ground.

"You will be safe in betting those people never saw such an exhibition as that before, nor will ever again in all probability, and when it was over," concluded the agent, "the audience seemed to realize what the professor had done to please them, and they cheered in and built him a monument where he fell, having on it, besides his name and the proper dates, no other inscription except 'He strived to please.'"

The dramatic critic was at least half a minute in recovering his speech after the recital of this remarkable tale, and before he could ask any questions the advance agent had folded his tent like a circus and stolen away to the office of the next dramatic critic he had to call upon.—Washington Star.

### A Toad as a Talisman.

The Western Morning News reports a remarkable case of superstition. A young woman in Penzance had suffered from fits, and she adopted a remedy which would be to most people almost as repulsive as the disease itself. She procured a live toad, placed it in a bag, hung it around her neck and carried it next her body. The woman was cured of her fits, but she was being medically attended at the Penzance infirmary at the same time. The woman believes, however, that this was a coincidence and that her strange talisman was the instrument of her cure.—South Wales News.

### A Different Matter.

The Man (expectantly)—Then you will be my wife?  
The Girl—No, indeed, I simply said I loved you.—New York Ledger.

### To Live.

It is to have justice, truth, reason, and to be free.

## Japanese Servants are Excellent if You Choose Them with Discretion and Treat Them with the Established Consideration of the Country.

There is a universal social compact in Japan to make life pleasant by politeness. Everybody is more or less well bred and hates the man or woman who is yakamashi—noisy, uncivil or exigent.

People who lose their temper are always in a hurry, bang doors, swear and swagger, find themselves out of place in a land where the lowest coolly learns and practices an ancient courtesy from the time when he wabbles about as a baby upon his mother's back. Therefore to be treated well in Japan—as perhaps, indeed, elsewhere—you must treat everybody, including your domestics, well, and then you will enjoy the most pleasant and willing service.

Your cook will doubtless cheat you a little, your jinrikisha man will now and then take too much sake, the musu and the boy's wife will gallop all over the place about everything you do, and the gardener and the coachman will fight cocks in the back yard when your back is turned, but if conscious of your own you can forgive the little sins of others. You can hardly fail to become closely attached to the quiet, soft voiced, pleasant people, who as soon as they have learned your ways will take real pleasure in making life agreeable to you.

A present now and then of a kimono to the maids, of toys and sweetmeats to the children, a day's holiday now and then granted to the theater or the wrestling match are richly rewarded by such bright faces and unmistakable warmth of welcome on arriving and of good speed on going—as repay you tenfold. Respectful as Japanese servants are—and they never speak except on their knees and faces—they like to be taken into the family conversation and to sit sometimes in friendly abandon with the master and mistress, admiring dresses, pictures or western novelties and listening sometimes to the samisen and koto as children of the household.—Edwin Arnold in Scribner's.

### QUEER LIBRARY FREAKS.

Funny Requests For Books That Amuse and Amaze Employees.

Once in awhile the clerks in the public library get hold of a good joke through the ignorance of people who come there to take out books. It was not long ago that a woman who was anxious to join the Daughters of the American Revolution came there to look up her family history and get her facts and claims ready to submit to the committee on membership. She went about it in rather a queer way. After looking about aimlessly through the index for a time she discovered "Lossing's Family History of the United States." She wrote her request for the books on one of the cards provided for that purpose and was quite indignant with the clerk who handed it to her because it did not contain what she wanted.

It was not long after this incident that another woman, who, from her dress and appearance, the clerks thought, might be literary, wrote on one of the cards a request for "The Autocrat of the Breakfast Table."

"Holmes' Autocrat, do you want?" politely asked the clerk.

"Oh, I don't care whose it is," was the reply. "I only want to find out if it is proper to use toothpicks at the breakfast table."

Another request for a magazine which the applicant said was called Brain kept one of the clerks busy hunting half an hour before he discovered that what was wanted was the magazine called Mind. Still another clerk was shocked the other day by a request for Washington Irving's "Alabama." The clerk mildly suggested "Alhambra."—Chicago Times-Herald.

### Deafness.

It has been stated that three persons out of every five in this country who have attained the age of 40 years are more or less deaf in one or both ears. A large proportion of this deafness is caused by catarrh, and medical treatment for difficulty of hearing is usually directed to the catarrhal source. In Europe much of the deafness is hereditary. Dr. James Kerr Love of Glasgow recently read a paper on deafness before the Royal Society of Edinburgh, from which it appears that congenital deafness may be either hereditary in the direct line or in collateral branches, and that it depends on not one, but many anatomical defects. Intermarriage of deaf persons perpetuates but does not accentuate the tendency of deafness. The hearing brothers and sisters of deaf mutes are as likely to have deaf mute offspring as if they had been deaf mutes themselves. Consanguinity of parents emphasizes family defects, and in this way many cases of congenital deafness occur. One of the most singular points of Dr. Love's paper was the assertion that the state had the right to control the marriage of persons belonging to families badly tainted with deafness.

### Ancient Tombstones.

The custom of inscribing upon tombstones was in vogue among the Greeks and Romans. The Greeks only did this, however, in the case of their illustrious men, but when a Roman died he was duly buried near a highway, and on his tombstone was carved a suitable inscription, which in the majority of cases began with "Sta, viator" (stop, traveler).

About 10,000,000 of the bovine species are now to be found in the Argentine Republic. They are all descendants of eight cows and one bull which were imported into Brazil in the middle of the sixteenth century.

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### Lawn Fete.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will give a lawn social at the home of H. B. Volheim, 130 Green avenue, next Friday night. Music for the occasion will be furnished by THE EVENING NEWS boys' band. Everyone is cordially invited. 5485

### Epworth League National Convention.

On account of the above convention, the Vandalia line will sell tickets July 13, 14 and 15 to Toronto, Ont., at one fare, \$10.45, for the round trip, tickets good going via rail and returning over any part of the route via water, or vice versa. For full information call on or address,

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## Excursion Rates How Trains Run

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Account of Young People's Christian Union, Universalist Church, Detroit, Mich., July 6 to 18, '07.

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The great southern exposition has created great interest throughout the country and applications are being made as to the best route to reach this great southern city. The "Big Four" has the best line from the east with through train service to Cincinnati from New York, Boston, Buffalo, Cleveland and Columbus; from Detroit, Toledo and Sandusky to Cincinnati; and from Chicago and Benton Harbor to Cincinnati and Louisville. Direct connections are made with the Q. & C. route and the L. & N.-Ry. Full information will be cheerfully given upon application.

Account of the Pine Lake Assembly, at La Porte, Ind. Aug. 12 to 22, 1897.

The Big Four railway company will sell on Aug. 11 and 12, round trip excursion tickets at one lowest first class one way fare. Final return limit Aug. 23.

### Epworth League Convention.

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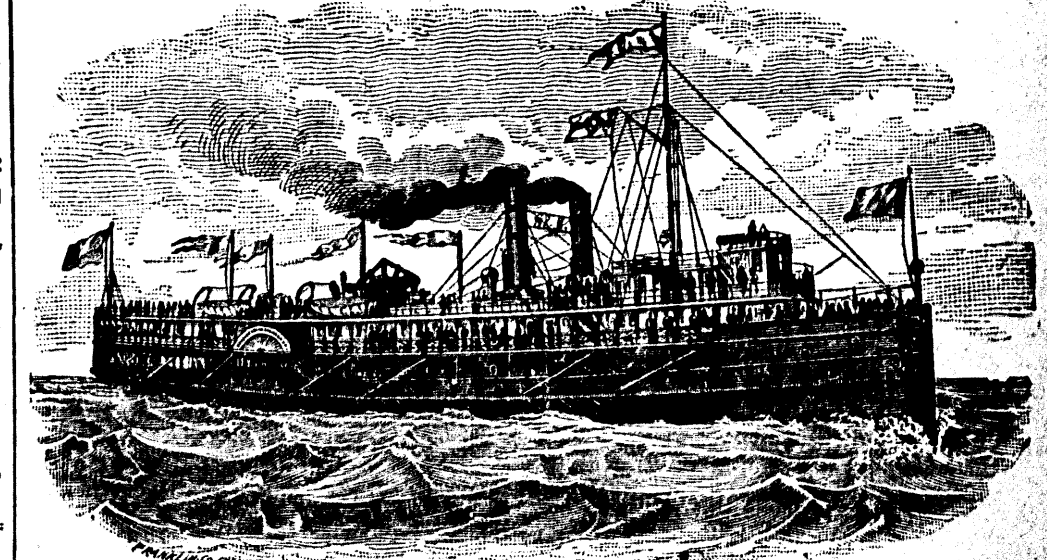
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1:00 p. m. daily	4:30 p. m. daily	8:30 p. m. daily	9:30 a. m. daily	1:30 p. m. daily	2:30 p. m. daily
ex Sat. & Sun	10:30 p. m. daily	4:00 a. m. daily	11:30 p. m. daily	4:00 a. m. daily	5:30 a. m. daily
8:30 p. m. daily	Inc. Sunday	12:00 noon Sat.	Inc. Sunday	2:00 p. m. Sunday	2:00 p. m. Sunday
Inc. Sunday	8:00 a. m. Saturday only	10:00 p. m. Sunday only	10:00 p. m. Saturday only	6:00 p. m. Saturday only	7:00 p. m. Saturday only
7:00 a. m. Saturday only	6:00 p. m. Sunday only		2:00 p. m. Saturday only		

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Going South	Stations	Going North
8:35 a. m.	1:30 p. m.	1:30 p. m.
11:35 a. m.	2:55 p. m.	10:45 a. m.
12:35 p. m.	3:55 p. m.	8:07 a. m.
1:35 p. m.	4:55 p. m.	7:09 a. m.
2:10 p. m.	5:30 p. m.	6:15 a. m.
2:30 p. m.	6:00 p. m.	5:45 p. m.

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## VANDALIA.

Taking effect June 20, 1897.

Stations	No. 17	No. 15	No. 3	No. 5
St. Joseph Lv.	6:30 p.	5:30 p.	11:00 a.	3:25 a.
South Bend	7:50	6:50	12:20 p.	4:40
Logansport	10:00	9:00	2:25	6:45
Terre Haute			6:30	10:00
St. Louis			1:44 a.	8:15 p.
Indianapolis			5:45 p.	10:30 a.

Stations	No. 2	No. 14	No. 16
St. Joseph Arr.	2:00 p.	12:00 p.	9:35 a.
South Bend	12:45	10:50	8:20
Logansport	10:31 a.	8:42	6:10
Terre Haute	6:30	5:20	
St. Louis	10:30 p.	1:00	
Indianapolis	7:10 a.	5:45	

Nos. 16 and 17 are Sunday trains only. All other trains daily except Sunday. Nos. 5 and 2 carry through sleeping cars to and from St. Louis.

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## COAL SITUATION

Coal at Pittsburg Has Advanced 150 Per Cent. in Price.

### ARBITRATION NOW THE FEATURE.

Many Labor Boards Trying to End the Trouble Peacefully—One Operator Who Declines to Assent—Plenty of Coal in the Pools, but Its Use Might Cause Another Strike—Situation in West Virginia and Other Storm Centers.

Pittsburg, July 13.—The miners strike is causing the price of coal to still advance and yesterday it was selling at \$1.50, an increase of 150 per cent. since the commencement of the struggle. The feature in matters pertaining to the strike was the presence in the city of the joint arbitration board, which is endeavoring by every means possible to bring to a peaceable conclusion the strike now in progress. The board held informal sessions and in the intervals interviewed quite a number of operators, the big majority of whom are in favor of arbitration provided all of the operators will abide by the decision rendered. One of the dissenters is W. P. Dearthmitt, president of the New York and Cleveland Gas Coke company. He declares he has nothing to arbitrate and says the strike is the result of the machinations of politicians.

### Will Call on Railway Men Next.

The strikers made further advances yesterday in getting out practically every miner in the district outside of Dearthmitt's men, who still remain loyal to their employers. At a mass-meeting held at West Newton Vice President McKay, of the miners' association, said he believed the West Virginia mines would be closed down within two weeks. If they are not, he said, the railroad men would be called on to bring work to a standstill in that state. The operators claim that the railroads will supply cars sufficient to carry the entire output of the West Virginia fields.

### Say There Is Plenty of Coal.

Many of them, however, still claim that there is plenty of coal on hand. It was stated last evening that a number of the river operators who have no facilities for loading their stocks on railroad cars are agitating the advisability of placing a hoisting machine on the south side of the Monongahela river for the purpose of transferring coal from the boats into Pittsburg and Lake Erie freight cars. By this method it is expected to supply some of the lake trade. Nearly all of the coal in the pools was stored in anticipation of the river being declared free, and it was intended to send it to the southern markets. Now that there is no boating stage and the market is open in the rail trade the proposition is looked on with favor.

### Might Result in Another Strike.

One of the subordinate miners' officials was asked what the miners would do in the event of 8,000,000 bushels of coal being put on the market in the manner referred to. "You may say that the river operators might find it a very difficult job," he said. "Men who handle coal for a living are in sympathy with this movement, and we would have little trouble in getting them to stop work if they should start. We have no fears in that direction as yet."

### ORGANIZERS BUSY AT WORK.

West Virginia Is the Field the Strike Leaders Are Attacking.

Pittsburg, July 13.—A tri-state news bureau correspondent who has just made a tour of the West Virginia coal fields says: A trip through the coal regions, from the Ohio river to the Monongahela, would indicate that instead of a general strike among the miners prosperity had at last gained the day and was there to stay. At New Haven, Spillman, and other points along the line of the Ohio river railroad the mines and coke ovens are running at their full capacity, the output being only limited by the lack of cars to transport the fuel and a scarcity of the men to mine the product. A similar condition exists on the Monongahela river at Flemington, along the line of the West Virginia and Pittsburg road, at the Harrison, Despard and Ocean mines. The Palatine miners have demanded an increase of 10 cents per ton, and it is said that if the request is refused it will be the beginning of a West Virginia strike.

Agitators from the Ohio and other coal fields have been quietly circulating among the men in the Fairmont, Monongahela and Flemington territories, and it would not create much surprise if the demand of the Palatine miners was a "feeler" thrown out through the influence of the agitators for the purpose of giving the men a grievance upon which they could work. The mine selected for the purpose is located in the center of a region wherein nearly 10,000 miners and cokers are employed and is just the spot that would be chosen by shrewd leaders for the purpose of provoking trouble. Though all appears quiet and peaceful among the West Virginia miners now it would take but a few hours to change the situation and it may be that the Palatine demand will do the work.

A dispatch from Wheeling, W. Va., says: Governor Atkinson, of West Virginia, arrived in the city from Charleston last evening. While here he had a conference with State Labor Commissioner Isaac V. Barton, at which a reporter was present. The coal strike with reference to West Virginia was gone over at some length. Of the 25,000 miners in the state, all are busily at work except the 700 or 800 men in the organized district in the Panhandle counties. Commissioner Barton spoke to the governor with reference to having him attend the conference of governors and labor commissioners at Pittsburg today. The governor replied that he had not received an invitation to attend the conference and supposed that the reason he had not been invited was that there is practically nothing to arbitrate in this state yet.

### Trouble Likely at This Point.

Bellair, O., July 13.—The miners at Bellair's mines were called upon by a committee of two from each of the mines in the Baltimore and Ohio yesterday afternoon. They asked them to quit work. The committee on satisfaction of the miners' demands, they were told.

and their presence in the town. The situation is aggravated, and men are gathering in and about town. Some are ready to prevent the miners from returning to work, and they will camp in that neighborhood. Secretary T. L. Lewis wired national headquarters for instructions and they answered that these men must come out at once.

### Mount Sympathizes with the Strikers.

Indianapolis, July 13.—Governor Mount said yesterday that his sympathy is all with the strikers in the present contest between the operators and miners. He is investigating his authority as chief executive to take a hand in the struggle and if he sees his way clear will appoint an investigating commission. The governor's action in that event will depend upon the report of the commission from actual contact with the strikers. The governor's pet aversion is the "pluck me" store.

### Among the Iowa Mines.

Des Moines, Ia., July 13.—So far no Iowa miners have joined the big strike, but they are likely to do so at any time. There are 5,000 miners in the state, and until coal dealers commenced shipping into Illinois to fill orders where Illinois miners are striking, little attention was paid to the strike, as the Iowa miners are not well organized in the past when they have struck the operators have shipped coal in from Illinois and defeated them. They can't do this now.

### Miners All Out at Danville.

Springfield, Ill., July 13.—President J. M. Carson, of the Illinois United Mine Workers, arrived here last night from Danville. The 1,500 miners in the Vermillion field, he stated, were out, and the miners in every shaft in Illinois north of and including Pana were out or had voted to come out. In the Springfield district every shaft will be idle after tonight. "By Saturday," President Carson stated, "every miner in Illinois, we believe, will have joined the strike."

### Debs Will Consult with Hatchford.

Columbus, O., July 13.—President Hatchford received a telegram last night from Eugene Debs, president of the Social Democracy, stating that he would arrive in this city tomorrow for a conference on the strike situation. President Hatchford also said that he was assured that the Ohio coal roads would increase the rate for the transportation of West Virginia coal. Ohio operators are back of the movement to hold their trade.

### Prevented the Miners from Working.

Spring Valley, Ill., July 13.—Two hundred Spring Valley miners marched to Marquette yesterday morning, four miles from this city, and prevented the miners of that place from starting to work. Word had arrived here to the effect that Marquette had voted to go to work and mine enough coal to supply the Illinois Zinc company, of Peru, with coal. It was immediately decided by the miners of this city to prevent them.

### EMINENT MICHIGAN MAN DEAD.

George V. N. Lothrop, Who Was Once Minister to Russia.

Detroit, July 13.—George Van Ness Lothrop, who died in this city yesterday morning as the sequel of prostration a week ago by the heat, was one of the most distinguished men of Michigan and his career was in every way a creditable one. He first entered the Wolverine State when about 12 years of age and began life in the west on a farm owned by his brother in Kalamazoo county. For years he did all the rough work, and laid the foundation of the sturdy constitution that had carried him through eighty years of hard intellectual labor. Graduating in law, he settled in Detroit in 1843 and rapidly rose to a high position in his profession.

He was never so very conspicuous or prominent in politics, preferring to devote his attention almost entirely to legal work. At one time he ran for congress, but was defeated, and in 1860 led the Michigan delegation to the Charleston national convention, in which he voted for Douglas. He was the principal American diplomat at St. Petersburg during the first Cleveland administration. Mr. Lothrop retired from the practice of law in 1876 and since that time had lived in retirement. He leaves two sons and two daughters living. One of the latter is the wife of Baron Honue, and lives at St. Petersburg.

### ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

Judge Bailey, of Eau Claire, Wis., has just published a fifty-page pamphlet on what constitutes contempt. It is in reply to an opinion recently handed down by the supreme court of the state.

Arthur Dishnow, of Burlington, Wis., pleaded guilty to being a habitual drunkard and was sentenced to one year at Waupun.

Jacob Raab, a book agent, committed suicide at Jamaica, L. I., Saturday. Next day his wife was informed. When she learned what had happened she leaped for joy.

The statement of the Bank of Spain shows a note circulation of 136,000,000 pesetas in excess of the authorized issue.

Fred Washington, a sign writer, 30 years old, was so frightfully injured in a runaway at Sedalia, Mo., that he died. Washington was born in England, and his great grandfather was a brother of John Washington, the father of George Washington.

A public marriage will be one of the attractions at the Boone county, Ill., fair. The couple to be married will receive hundreds of dollars worth of merchandise contributed by the merchants.

It cost the city of Milwaukee \$9,000 to entertain the National Educational association.

Lightning struck a barn on Matt Udelhoven's place, twelve miles southwest from Lancaster, Wis., and killed his son, a young man of 17 years. The barn was burned.

Charles Treadwell, 12 years old, has been missing from his home at Chicago since yesterday week.

Obituary: At Memphis, Tenn., Colonel C. W. Frazer. At Cincinnati, "Kid" Baldwin, the base ball catcher. At St. Paul, Mrs. Marie Hasenwinkel. At Pittsburg, John E. Davidson. At Arcola, Ill., Dr. Lucius McAllister, 80.

By a new law, Connecticut riders of bicycles who neglect to use bells on their wheels will be subject to a fine of \$20 or less in each case.

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BENTON DIVISION, COURT NO. 1, ORDER of Patricians, meets every Friday evening in Modern Woodmen hall. JOHN SELFRIDGE, Justice, W. H. ANDREWS, Clerk.

KNIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES, BENTON Tent, No. 104, meet at Odd Fellows' hall. Regular review second and fourth Fridays in each month. G. W. FALES, Com. R. P. CHADBOCK, R. K.

BENTON LODGE NO. 132, I. O. O. F., MEETS every Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in their lodge room opposite the post office. All visiting brothers are cordially invited. J. M. JENKINS, N. G. GEORGE W. FALES, Secretary.

LADIES OF THE MACCABEES, BENTON Hive, No. 545, meet at Odd Fellows' hall every two weeks Saturday nights, beginning January 9. EMMA CANTRELL, Commander, MARGARET MURRAY, Rec'd Keeper.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—BANNER Camp No. 40 commencing April 30, meet every other Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at G. A. R. hall on West Main street. Visiting sovereigns will be cordially received. JOHN F. GERLING, Consul Commander, JOHN F. HARPER, Clerk.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA, IVY Leaf Camp No. 901, meets every Monday evening at the Woodmen Hall on West Main street. Visiting Woodmen will be cordially entertained. B. L. HALL, V. C. N. G. WENELL, Clerk.

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## THE EVENING NEWS



## THIEVES ARE SENTENCED

Confessed Criminals Pay the Penalty of Their Wrong Doing.

### THOS. O'BRIEN GETS 4 YEARS.

Gaylord Brimmer, Who Swindled Mrs. Camfield, Goes to Jackson for Three Years.

Judge Coolidge this afternoon imposed sentence upon four self confessed criminals. They were Gaylord C. Brimmer, larceny; Edward Wilson, larceny; Thomas O'Brien who committed an assault upon Henry Mohler, a mere boy and Charles Brown, resisting an officer.

Brimmer stole a solid gold watch and chain from Mrs. Caroline Camfield, who lives north of the city a short distance. He was employed by Mrs. Camfield to operate her farm and also served her in the capacity of business agent. He was a shrewd, business-like fellow and his employer considered him a valuable man. June 21 he disappeared and simultaneously the gold watch and chain came up missing. He was captured by Sheriff Ferguson and brought back to Benton Harbor and yesterday with much manifestation of sorrow he pleaded guilty. The court sentenced him to three years at Jackson.

Edward Wilson, who came before the court at the instigation of the Graham & Morton transportation company from whose boat Wilson stole a quantity of butchers' articles, received his sentence this afternoon, he having yesterday pleaded guilty to the charge of larceny. He will serve 90 days in the county jail.

Thomas O'Brien, the tramp who inveigled little Henry Mohler into a box car in the railway yards here and there committed a most bestial assault upon him, will serve a term of four years in Jackson prison. This was the sentence Judge Coolidge pronounced upon him this afternoon. He is a fiendish looking fellow and his crime merited no consideration of leniency by the court. He pleaded guilty in the circuit court three weeks ago.

Charles Brown, who pleaded guilty to obstructing an officer in the discharge of his duties, was sentenced to 90 days in the county jail.

#### Other Court House News.

Deputy Sheriff Tennant went to Kalamazoo this morning with Auntoine Wohlrab, who was adjudge insane by the probate court recently.

Henry Mohler, the boy who was so outrageously assaulted by Thomas O'Brien, and has been detained at the county jail until he could get his witness fees, was paid \$8, upon the order of Judge Coolidge, last night and this morning left for his home at Lafayette, Ind.

The circuit court is occupied with the hearing of Norman J. Eldred against Charles H. Godfrey.

County Agent Whitehead went to Lansing this morning in company with Roland Griffith who is sentenced to spend two years in the Industrial school for the larceny of a bicycle.

### \$5,000 DAMAGES

Is Asked of T. N. Chilson, of Baroda, by Henry Henning.

Henry Henning, the man arrested on complaint of burglarizing the store of Parish & Chilson at Baroda, and who was afterwards discharged on account of insufficient evidence, today by his attorney, James O'Hara, filed the declaration in a suit for \$5,000 damages against Theron N. Chilson, alleging malicious prosecution. The defendant is a member of the firm of Parish & Chilson.

On June 28 last the store of the defendant was forcibly entered and \$5 in money, one razor, three revolvers, two catchalls, three pocket knives, one watch, two chains and other articles, aggregating \$50 in value, were stolen. Chilson lodged a complaint against Henning in Justice Hendrick's court charging him with the burglary and on June 30 Henning was arrested. He was committed to the county jail in default of bail until July 7, pending examination. At his preliminary hearing before Justice Hendricks he was discharged upon the recommendation of the justice and released from custody. By means of these premises the plaintiff claims he has been greatly injured in credit and reputation and brought into public scandal. He alleges that he expended large sums for counsel to defend him.

### ANOTHER SUCCESS.

It Was Won by the Baker Stock Company.

The clever acting at Conkey's opera house by the Baker Stock company last night was witnessed by a very small audience, but flattering praises are generously bestowed by those in attendance, among whom were the Stricklands. They congratulated Manager Simon over the success he had attained in providing so fine a theatrical attraction and predicted for him a big patronage as soon as the public became aware of the capabilities of the company.

New scenery has been pressed into service and the stage is metamorphosed. The company will remain the entire week and Saturday night will present a \$45 bicycle to the person holding the lucky ticket. Admission is 10 and 20 cents.

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## A STEVENSVILLE ROBBERY.

Thieves Enter the West Michigan Depot There.

Last night burglars again got their work in at Stevensville, the most notorious village in the county for petty thievery. This time the West Michigan depot was entered by force and two express packages stolen, one containing clothing and the other laundried goods sent from a Grand Rapids laundry.

The burglary was not discovered until this morning despite the fact that the village has a watchman who is supposed to patrol the streets during the night. The case was reported to Sheriff Ferguson who left this afternoon to conduct an investigation.

It is the theory that the work was done by tramps which infest that community in hordes. The citizens there are becoming incensed over the repeated depredations of idle men and threaten to rise up in arms against the irrepressible tramps.

### ST. JOSEPH.

Julius, George and Charles Burkhard and Louis Hosbein, while on a fishing expedition up the St. Joseph river yesterday caught 15 black bass.

The open air concert and social, advertised to occur tonight on the St. Joseph church lawn, has been postponed until next Thursday night on account of the unpleasant weather. At that time THE EVENING NEWS boys' band will be present and provide music for the occasion.

### COURT HOUSE ITEMS.

Eugene W. Cribbs has commenced in the circuit court a suit by summons against Patrick Yore. N. A. Hamilton appears for the plaintiff.

Mrs. Gusta Mitchell, of St. Joseph, has filed a bill for divorce in the circuit court against John J. Mitchell whom she alleges deserted her in August, 1894, and that since that time he has neglected to provide a support. They were married December 3, 1893, by Justice John C. Dick, of Buchanan. Valentine & Ellsworth are solicitors for the complainant.

### BOATS AND SEAMEN.

The steamer City of Duluth arrived last evening and discharged her cargo at the Big Four warehouse.

#### Probate Court.

Estate of George S. Ferguson, deceased. Sylvanus A. Ferguson appointed administrator of said estate.

Estate of Richard J. King, deceased. Petition filed by Hattie Glade, daughter of deceased, for the probate of the will of said deceased and for the appointment of Josephus Fisher and Lewis Glade as executors of said estate.

Estate of Daniel J. Parshall, deceased. Roy Clark appointed administrator of said estate.

Estate of William Burrus, deceased. Petition filed by John Burrus, son of deceased, for the probate of the will of said deceased and for the appointment of himself as executor of said estate. Hearing August 9 at 10 a. m.

### WINDFALLS FOR GAMINS.

Two Lavish Gifts Bestowed on a Pair of Bright Boys.

Quite recently the pretty wife of a prosperous manufacturer was looking into a confectioner's window when a barefooted lad of about 10 coolly walked up to her and placed his rugged arm through hers.

"Excuse this liberty, mum," he said, with comical ceremony, "but I ain't got a mother o' my own, an I feels lonely. Will ye kiss me?"

For a moment the lady was too astonished to speak, but the sight of the dirty face turned so audaciously up to hers drove away her indignation. Much to the amusement of the passers-by she kissed the lad soundly, asked him where he lived and dismissed him with a few coppers. But that was not the end of the little incident, for some weeks after the boy was hunted up by the lady's husband and presented with £100—"payment for the kiss taken in front of the confectioner's window," the lady said.

A good natured gentleman who is very stout, and on that account does not care to stoop, once dropped his briar pipe in the middle of a busy street. The pipe was a great favorite of his, but he dared not run the risk of bending down, and after gazing regretfully at his fallen treasure, he decided to abandon it. Before he could do so, however, a little street arab saw his plight, and, running forward, picked up the pipe and restored it to him.

The gentleman stared at the boy without speaking for awhile, and then pulled a handful of gold out of his pocket.

"Take this, kiddie, and be careful how you spend it," he said. "Mind also that whatever you do with it you are not to spend it on butter scotch, for that's the stuff that made me fat."

He then walked away, leaving the astonished urchin in possession of a windfall amounting to over £30.—London Telegraph.

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